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## Experts Eye Effect On Living Costs as Bonds, Stocks Drop

*By The Associated Press*

Commodity, stock and bond prices dropped sharply and unexpectedly in the nation's markets yesterday.

Most experts said frankly they didn't know whether it was just a temporary setback or a prick in the postwar price balloon.

Nor could they say whether the present high cost of groceries and other items in the family budget might go down as a result.

Wheat futures dropped 10 cents a bushel — as much as they can in one day — at Chicago, Minneapolis and Kansas City.

**Stocks fell $1 to $5 a share in a 1,200,000-share turnover at New York, the widest break since the past May. Railroads led a broad decline in the bond market.**

Cotton broke more than $6 a bale at one time but made some recovery. Final prices at New York ranged from $3.55 a bale lower to 35 cents higher.

It was much the same story in lard, cottonseed oil, crude rubber and most other commodities. The Associated Press commodity index reflected the sharpest break since September, 1947.

Cattle prices remained firm, however.

Market men and economists generally noted that there has been no sudden change in two "basic facts" affecting the price structure.

**That is, European requirements under the Marshall program are reckoned about the same as they have been all along. If these had been revised downward, a drop in prices undoubtedly would have followed.**

Also, industrial output continues at the recent high level—a fact that ordinarily would mean steady prices.

In Washington, Secretary of Agriculture Anderson offered several possible causes for the skid in commodity prices.

One, he said, is that prices have been too high and perhaps a realization of this has "begun to take hold of the markets."

Another is that many speculators have left the market as a result of

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## 2½ BILLION CUT IN BUDGET ASKED BY GOP LEADERS

### Subcommittee Recommends $2,600,000,000 Payment On the National Debt

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Fiscal leaders in the Republican - dominated Congress demanded today that at least $2,500,000,000 be sawed off President Truman's $39,700,000,000 spending program for next year.

A $2,600,000,000 payment of the national debt — almost a hundred times that large — also was recommended.

And some Senate Republicans were talking of putting off any tax reduction until July 1. The $6,500,000,000 tax cutting bill passed by the House Monday would carry the reduction back to Jan. 1.

**The cut in spending was recommended by a 20-member subcommittee of the joint budget committee which is made up of members of the four big money-handling committees of the Senate and House. It will report to the full 102-member joint committee on Friday. That group is supposed to have its budget recommendations ready for Congress by Feb. 15 each year.**

Chairman Bridges (R-NH) in reporting on the closed session emphasized that the committee can only set a target for a spending cut, not a guaranteed, scientific figure that will stand up under any possible developments.

The New Englander estimated that at least $600,000,000 additional money will be needed in the fiscal year to cover the cost of a civil service retirement program and a boost in veterans benefits which has been approved by both Houses.

In reaching their estimates of how much the President's budget and the national debt should be reduced, the subcommittee calculated that tax receipts will amount to $47,300,000,000.

**The subcommittee did not decide where the budget cuts will be made. That is up to the appropriation committees. As chairman Taber (R-NY) of the House appropriations committee commented, the projected $2,500,000,000 reduction is "just a figure to shoot at." Taber said both he and Bridges would like to see a deeper cut.**

Senate Republicans who talked about trimming down the House tax cut figured they must do so to pick up enough Democratic votes to override an expected veta. The Republicans have 51 members of the Senate and the Democrats 45. It takes a two-thirds vote in both Houses to override a President's rejection.

Members of the majority party haven't made up their minds whether to scale down the cut by postponing its effective date, or by trimming the size of the percentage cuts which would be granted each income tax payer.

# Winter's Heaviest Snowstorm Hits Area; Highway Traffic Is Impeded

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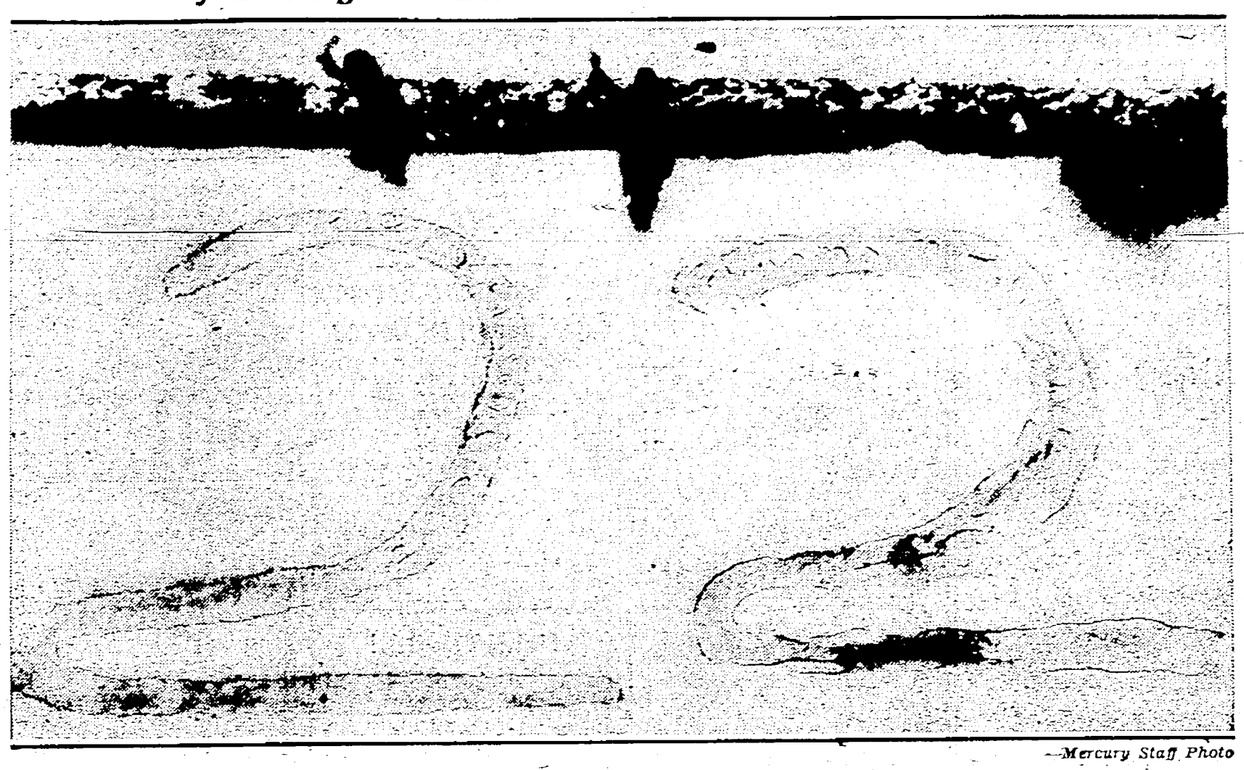
### They Give Signal of Distress From Winter's No. 22 Snowfall



—Mercury Staff Photo

**Like snowbound explorers or marooned aviators who write their distress messages in the snow, Jane Adams (left) and Louise Keene, Ninth grade students in Pottstown Junior High school, look for relief from the almost endless blanket of snow that has covered Pottstown this Winter. Yesterday's storm was the 22d of the season, and it was timed just right to frustrate Pottstonians who had barely finished digging out of the 21st snowfall.**

## ROADS OPENED BY PLOWS IN MOST SECTIONS

### 6½-Inch Fall Is Expected To Be Followed by Cold; Norco Schools Close Today

Already snow-weary and cold-bedeviled by a severe Winter, Pottstonains faced the heaviest snowstorm of the Winter yesterday, as it swirled into town with 5.8 inches falling in the 12 hours after 4 a. m. and at least an inch of light snow pelting down softly during the night.

The last heavy snowfall was 6.4 inches on Jan. 24.

Not only did the blanket of snow add new problems to the already harassed highway department, but the falling temperatures caused many an oil-burning homeowner to peer anxiously at his tank.

**As the mercury fell in the aftermath of the 22d snowstorm this Winter, the roads began to be glossed with a film of ice, making travel treacherous for traffic that remained light during the day and night, and a forecast of cloudy and cold for today made the prospect even gloomier.**

Yesterday's storm, coming one day short of a year after the heavy snow of Feb. 5, 1947, which produced a cold wave and traffic hazards to the area, brought joy to children who were given still another chance to enjoy their sleds and skis.

In North Coventry, the children had an additional opportunity to celebrate, for the slippery conditions of that township's hilly and curving roads caused closing of schools today.

Other schools, however, were expected to open on schedule. Officials of Pottstown public and parochial schools, and the schools in Lower, Upper and West Pottsgrove, as well as in South Coventry and Warwick, promised that classes would be held today unless roads were completely drifted shut.

**The storm came as a surprise to weather forecasters. It was blamed on a cold front, moving across the State from the midwest, that collided with a warm front at Cape Hatteras. The result—as everyone could see—was snow.**

Since the fall was dry and powdery, with only light winds ac-

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## Plea for Signals on Trucks Spurred by Worker's Death

The death of a Perkiomenville highway worker Jan. 13 brought a resolution yesterday from the Montgomery Safety council urging the State to place adequate warning lights on its trucks.

The resolution adopted at the council's monthly meeting in Norristown was addressed to the State Highway department and asked that:

"All trucks owned by the State, or privately owned and used in highway construction and maintenance, be equipped with two-way flashing lights and other warning signals which would permit highway employes to work safely at night."

**Council members said the action was taken after an investigation into the death of Jesse F. Hoffman, 48, Perkiomenville, as the result of injuries sustained at night when he was pinned between a skidding car and the tailgate of a State cinder truck.**

At the time of the accident, which occurred on Route 63 near Green Lane, Hoffman had been on the road shoveling cinders.

Dr. Allen Harman, assistant county superintendent of schools, reported to the council meeting that Hatfield High school has joined those in the county now conducting driver-training programs.

The State Department of Public Instruction has made regulations for certification of teachers taking driver-training leadership courses, he asserted.

**Those who have already taken the council's course will be cred-**

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## GIRL'S CHARGES DENIED BY TRIO

### Jury Hears Testimony On Alleged Attack Along Sanatoga Road Nov. 20

*By Staff Correspondent*

NORRISTOWN, Feb. 4 — Three Phoenixville men on trial in Criminal court before Judge William F. Dannehower for allegedly attempting to criminally attack a 28-year-old married woman, denied the charge today.

The defendants are Joseph Yednock, 26; Thomas Yednock, and Joseph Diamond, 21.

**The prosecutrix is Jane Brophy, a native of Brooklyn, N. Y., who had been living in Phoenixville, for three weeks before the crime was alleged to have taken place.**

The jury is expected to receive the case tomorrow afternoon after the defense winds up its testimony. The Commonwealth concluded its side this afternoon.

Mrs. Brophy testified that on the evening of the past Nov. 20 she was in a bar in Phoenixville when the three asked her to go on a drinking party with them. She said they visited taprooms and bars in Mont Clare, Audubon, Kimberton and Royersford.

While Thomas Yednock was driving the car and Desmond was seated alongside him, she said, Joseph Yednock, who was seated in the back with her, attempted to molest her. This occurred while the car was enroute from Royersford to Sanatoga, she indicated. As the automobile turned off Ridge pike onto Sanatoga road, she asked to be let out. The car was stopped and she said she ran up the road.

**Thomas Yednock chased and caught her, she testified, and threw her in the bushes alongside the roadway. As she strug-**

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## E. L. Daub, 28, War Vet, Dies Of Leukemia

Eugene Lewis Daub, 28, husband of Marion (Elliott) Daub, of 140 King street, died yesterday morning in the Philadelphia Naval hospital of leukemia resulting from malaria he contracted while a staff sergeant in Army campaigns in New Guinea and the Philippines.

The father of a five-year-old son, Eugene Jr., Mr. Daub was born in Pottstown. His father was H. Russell Daub, proprietor of the Shuler house for eight years preceding his death in 1936. His mother, Mary H. (Dilks) Daub, lives at 133 Third avenue, Royersford.

In 1928 he lived in Philadelphia, where he was a boy saxophonist for bands there. He soon developed an interest in classical music, and

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## Bush Proposes Borough Purchase Equipment to Save Rental Costs

C. Roy Bush, president of borough council, last night proposed that Pottstown purchase street repair and construction equipment, rather than rent it, as part of a program of increased borough services and improvements.

He spoke before a meeting of 21 members of the Pottstown American Business club in the Elks' home, continuing his advocacy of more borough improvements, rather than a cut in taxes.

**"Last year we spent $11,300 on renting equipment," Bush said. "In two years time the rental money could pay for the purchase of a bulldozer and shovel, and later, if these pieces of equipment were not in use temporarily, we could rent them to the county or to the State.**

"We have never lost money on any piece of equipment we own," Bush amphasized, "and always made money lending it out."

In attacking a tax cut at this time, Bush pointed out that on a property assessed at $1000—a figure higher than the assessment on many homes now—the owner would save only $2 a year.

"You wouldn't even notice the saving on your tax bill," the Democratic leader asserted.

Briefly, Bush discussed the problem of water service in Pottstown. He acknowledged that some areas had poor service, and that the system needed general repairs, but pointedly emphasized that the difficulties before the water company were separate from the subject of a program of increased services in Pottstown.

**The surplus of $63,000 at the end of 1947 the councilman declared was misleading.**

"Of that sum, $41,000 represents the return for money spent by the borough over the last eight or

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## Merchants Expect Heavy Sales For Local Dollar Day Events

Additional clerks will man special display counters in the 51 Pottstown stores observing Dollar Day tomorrow and Saturday, Jack Hoffman, chairman of the Dollar Day committee of the Mercantile bureau, announced yesterday.

Hoffman said the stores would call in their extra clerks to handle the sales arranged for the two days.

**Yesterday, the bag of money which will be carried by Mrs. Dorothy Dollar in the two caravans marking the opening of Dollar Day tomorrow went on display in the window of the National Iron bank.**

Mrs. Dorothy Dollar, who is actually Mrs. Clayton Hutt, Halfway House, will ride in an open car from York street to Adams street along High street and will return to the National Iron bank.

The person or persons guessing the amount of money contained in the bag will be awarded a $100 U. S. Savings Bond.

Entry blanks containing spaces for the contestants names, address, telephone number and estimate of the money in the sack will be available in all the stores participating. Deposit boxes also will be prominently displayed in which to drop the blanks.

**The boxes will be collected after the stores close Saturday and will be taken to the offices of the Chamber of Commerce where the winner will be chosen.**

Mrs. H. D. Wagonhurst, president of the Soroptimist club, yesterday was added to the list of judges who will decide on the winner of the prize at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Hoffman said the stores participating in the sales event will be identified by blue and white banners prominently displayed in their windows.

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—Mercury Staff Photo

**Mrs. Dorothy Dollar shows how she'll keep 'em guessing tomorrow when she will display a bag of money from two caravans which will travel through Pottstown to mark the opening of Dollar Days sponsored by the Mercantile bureau. Mrs. Dollar is actually Mrs. Clayton Hutt, Halfway House. Bags of money hanging from her belt signify the $100 in a U. S. Savings bond to be awarded to the best guesser.**

## Merit Badge Show Tops Program for Boy Scout Week

A Senior Scout ball, church services in observance of Scout Sunday, and a two-day merit badge show in the Pottstown armory will mark the celebration of Boy Scout Week locally from tomorrow to Feb. 12.

Fifteen members of Senior Scout units in Pottstown have made reservations for the formal ball tomorrow night in Philadelphia—the opening of the week-long celebration.

Churches sponsoring Boy Scout troops will hold Scout services Sunday, either in the morning or evening, for the boys and their parents.

Scouts, cub scouts and adult leaders will attend the services uniformed and in a body. In many cases, the troop will have charge of either the morning Sunday school service or the second church service of the day, while many pastors have prepared sermons on the scout theme for their first service.

The two-day merit badge show will be held Feb. 12 and 13. Booths will be erected in the armory in which scouts from 19 units will demonstrate the work necessary to complete the requirements of the various awards.

The displays, most of which will accent audience-participation and action, will be open both nights from 7 to 10 o'clock.

## Winter Booms Business In Snow Shovels, Boots

There may be a lot of complaints about unswept sidewalks and there may be an epidemic of intestional grippe going 'round, but you couldn't guess why in looking at sales of snow shovels and rubber footwear.

No check was taken on sales of linament for the aching spine, but hardware store managers last night reached for superlatives describing snow shovel and pusher sales. One said they broke a five-year record, another put it at ten years and a third said he never before sold so many.

**Footwear merchants were scarcely less conservative. They have sold more rubbers, galoshes and boots to more men, women and children so far this Winter than in the past nine years on an average.**

Earl J. Reidenouer, manager of Reidenouer's hardware store, King and Charlotte streets, declared, "Sales are doubled this year; heaviest in ten years. The day after the first snow on Dec. 26 I sold eight dozen shovels. In all, I've sold about 20 dozen this Winter. That's about one dozen per snow."

His joy over the heavy snows was not unmixed, though. "I've got snow to shovel too, you know," he added ruefully.

This Winter has snapped the all-time record of snow shovel sales

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## Auto Products Plant Cuts Work Schedule

Large inventories built up during the recent cold wave have caused the New England Auto Products company plant here to go on short hours, it was reported yesterday.

Dennison K. Bullens, president of the company, who explained that his employes understood the situation, said he had no comment to make on the plant's new schedule.

The Spicer Manufacturing company, which also makes auto parts, will not be affected, according to George H. Parker, manager.

Parker said the building of large inventories during November and December to maintain employment is common to the automotive industry, but that an increase of 10 percent in his production schedules will allow him to clear the inventory built up in his plant.

J. C. Blue, manager of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company plant, did not believe his plant would be affected. The distribution setup of the company will allow the Pottstown plant to ship tires to any point where they are needed, he said.

## Motorist Is Injured As Train Hits Car, Pushes It 150 Feet

Claude S. Garber, 46, a well-digger who lives near Worman, Berks county, narrowly escaped death at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning when his sedan was pushed 150 feet down the Reading tracks in Norristown by a westbound passenger train.

Resting comfortably in Montgomery hospital, Norristown, last night, Garber apparently sustained only minor lacerations at the right elbow and above the right eye. X-rays will be made today to check for more serious injuries.

**Just before Garber's car was hit at the crossing, the train had cut its speed preparatory to stopping at the station two blocks away.**

The watchman at the crossing told police that Garber apparently had attempted to "beat" the train as the watchman was lowering the safety gates.

Garber was freed from his badly-damaged car, which ended its wild trip between the eastbound track and the bordering street, by Norristown city police who took him to the hospital.

### THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Snow ending today but continued mostly cloudy and cold this afternoon and tonight; mostly cloudy and cold tomorrow.

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Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

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## Harrisburg Meeting On Airport Arranged

Borough officials and leaders of the Citizens' Airport committee will travel to Harrisburg next Wednesday to discuss the progress of a municipal airport with officials of the Civil Aeronautics authority and of the State Aeronautics commission.

They include Borough Manager Dow I. Sears, Burgess William A. Griffith, Raymond H. Piersol and Leon C. MacMullen, co-chairmen of the airport committee, and John J. Basco, who is selling his Pottstown-Stowe airport to the borough for $25,000.

According to Sears, the group will show the two groups its progress to date on buying and developing the airport, and ask that the C.A.A. grant of $40,000 be secured until settlement of the sale. The county grant of $21,400 already has been paid, and completion of the sale is expected to materialize within two weeks.

Maternal Health Clinic meets Thurs. Feb. 12, 1 to 2 o'clock at YWCA.

Dancing—Armory, Saturday Night. Spon. by St. John's Greek Cath. Ch.

Diamonds—Wedding Rings. Chas. Longacre, Jeweler, 17 N. Hanover.

See Food Specials in Hartenstine's Market ad. Page 19. Big Values!

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## Radio 'Hams' Await New SOS Signals Of British Plane Missing Near Cuba

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 4 (AP)—Rescue agencies and hundreds of "hams" listened tonight for possible renewal of faint SOS messages which brought hope that survivors of the missing British airliner Star Tiger may be adrift on the Atlantic.

The Star Tiger disappeared with 29 persons on board the past Thursday while approaching Bermuda on a trans-Atlantic flight.

The messages ending with the word "Tiger" were picked up on a continuous wave length from Florida to Newfoundland and inland as far as Chicago during the early morning hours.

## Turkish Ambassador Withdrawn From Russia

ANKARA, Feb. 4 (AP)—Turkey has recalled her ambassador from Moscow, it was learned here tonight.

The sudden diplomatic move was a "tit for tat" answer to Russia's refusal to return her ambassador to Ankara, it was learned.

The foreign office declined immediate comment on the withdrawal of Ambassador Faik Zihni Akdur from Moscow.

The Russian government recalled its ambassador, Sergei A. Vinogradov, in the Fall of 1945. Although there have been recurring reports that he would return, Russia still is represented by a charge d'affaires here.

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—explaining the fine points of skirt wearing.

**JOE FECAK**
—fighting a cigaret machine.

**LLOYD RUTTER**
—supervising a snow shoveling job.

**ALICE PRINCENTHAL**
—hidden under a red umbrella.

**LEVI STEIN**
—recalling the blizzard of '96.

**GLADYS WEAN**
—making selections on a juke box.

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## Arizona Court Upholds Anti-Closed Shop Law

**PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 4 (AP)—The Arizona Supreme court today upheld constitutionality of the "right-to-work" law, an anti-closed shop measure adopted by the people in 1946.**

**The American Federation of Labor had joined the State Federation in attacking the constitutional amendment.**

**The court rejected organized labor's contention that the act deprived unions and employers of freedom of contract, constituted** class legislation, and restrained civil rights of assembly and speech.

## Venezuela Movie Union Angry at Donald Duck

**CARACAS, Venezuela, Feb. 4 (AP)—The Venezuela motion picture workers union is mad at Donald Duck.**

**The union decided today not to show any more Walt Disney cartoons if Bolivar (Donald Duck's dog) continues under that name. The name, says the union, is an insult to the memory of Simon Bolivar, national hero of Venezuela.**

## Fatherland Front Gains Complete Power; Becomes Top Political Party in Bulgaria

SOFIA, Bulgaria Feb 3 (Delayed) (AP) — Bulgaria became virtually a one-party state tonight under the iron guidance of its Communist premier, Georgi Dimitrov.

About 200,000 bulgars heralded the change by parading past a reviewing stand where Dimitrov stood, flanked by a Russian general. They shouted themselves hoarse acclaiming the 65-year-old chief of state.

**Bulgaria's transition was accomplished by a reorganization of the Fatherland Front, which the Communists dominate. Until now, it had been a name for a political coalition. The Fatherland Front now becomes a political party embracing all other Bulgarian political parties and virtually all mass organizations and even individual persons with no political allegiance.**

A congress of the Fatherland Front adopted at a two-day meeting a program aimed at completely sovietizing Bulgarian life.

Included in this program were some of the following:

Closing of all private religious schools and taking over by the state of all public education.

Socialization of industry and creation of state and co-operative farms.

A drive to amend the "hard terms of the peace treaty and entry of Bulgaria into the United Nations."

A foreign policy based on indestructible friendship with the Soviet Union.

Construction of the Fatherland Front as a single public political organization of the Bulgarian people.

**The opening of state, municipal, and national stores, bakeries, restaurants and the creation of state monopolies in tobacco, alcohol, liquid fuel, and salt.**

Theoretically, other political parties will be able to exist in Bulgaria, but only within the Communist-dominated Fatherland Front. Statutes adopted today provide that all decisions adopted by the Fatherland Front are binding on all political parties and members within it. The statutes say no member expelled by the Fatherland Front can join another party within it, and that all block, ward, city, village, and country organizations will be unified into the Fatherland Front.

Dimitrov watched from the speakers' platform as 1000 delegates voted this program through with machine-like precision. Not a single dissenting vote on any word of the program was heard in two days.

## Chinese Reds Threaten Rail Center Near Mukden

PEIPING, Feb. 4 (AP) — Chinese Communist blows threatened today to topple a big government base south of Mukden before fresh nationalist troops sent to Manchuria can go into action.

The base is Chinhsien, 140 miles southwest of Mukden on the railway to Peiping. The government is trying to reopen the railway and get troops to Mukden for a counter-offensive this Spring.

Press dispatches said strong Communist attacks had carried to within three miles of Chinhsien and the situation is critical. The railway city has withstood all previous Red assaults.

## New Hampshire Governor Casts Support for Dewey

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 4 (AP) — New Hampshire's Gov. Charles M. Dale (R) tonight announced his support of Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York for the Republican presidential nomination.

Dale's announcement came as Dewey forces formally launched their campaign for this State's presidential preference primary March 9 — the first in the nation.

Dale is running for one of New Hampshire's eight delegate seats — officially unpledged.

## Sponsors Bill

**Rep. Karl E. Mundt (R-SD) is author of Congress' new legislative approach to place the Communist party under legal controls. Mundt's bill requires all American Communist party members to register as foreign agents, and proposes all literature published by them bear "registered foreign agent" imprint.**

## American Warships May Skip Italy Ports

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—American warships operating in the Mediterranean may largely avoid visits to Italian ports for the next few weeks—on Italian advice.

Premier Alcide de Gasperi, diplomatic sources here said today, has told American Ambassador James C. Dunn that such a course might be wise in view of political conditions in Italy.

**Communists, fighting de Gasperi's government, have denounced the presence of American fleet units.**

Similarly, the use of Italian ports was protested by Russia the past week as a violation of the Italian peace treaty. The United States rejected the protest, saying Rome had approved each warship visit. The Italian government publicly announced that this was true.

De Gasperi's latest move is regarded not as a change in Italian policy but simply a step toward quieting political disputes over the issue.

Italy is scheduled to hold national elections in April.

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*The only way for a rich man to be healthy is by exercise and abstinence, to live as if he were poor.—Sir W. Temple.*

## You and Your Heart

ONE of the basic tenets of American democracy is that "the truth shall make men free" and that knowledge is one of the greatest weapons against the forces of darkness and fear. That is the principle upon which the American Heart association has based its appeal to the public during National Heart Week beginning Sunday.

Diseases of the heart and circulation, which constitute America's Number One killer, have generally been clouded by public misinformation and misunderstanding. As the nation's leading health problem, however, it is imperative that you and your family know more about this deadly enemy and the way to attack it.

A great deal of progress has already been achieved by those who would make the public more health conscious through emphasis on regular physical checkups or chest x-rays. But much more effort must be expended before the public will take adequate steps to defend itself against the country's most ruthless killer.

The best protection you can give yourself and your family against Public Health Enemy Number One is to visit your doctor periodically for a health examination which includes a heart examination. Knowledge about the true state of your heart will eliminate ungrounded fears, or if actual heart trouble exists, your doctor will be able to detect it promptly and take the necessary measures.

Some kinds of heart disease, according to the American Heart association, can be cured by drugs or surgery. In other cases, under a doctor's care, reduction of the strain on the heart will prolong life and increase the patient's comfort. Many persons with heart disease live out full and useful lives.

Be sure your heart is strong. Don't become a statistic just because of self-neglect.

## Living Longer

IN THE course of an analysis of the cost of medical care, Frank G. Dickinson, Ph. D., said: "Although the American people have been paying out more dollars for medical care in recent years, the percentage of the national income and of total consumer expenditures they spent for medical care were decreasing slightly. And Americans are living longer."

Not so very long ago appendicitis was treated with opium pills and poultices. This form of treatment was cheap—but most of the patients died.

The diabetic was given codeine and put on a diet. Again, the doctor's charges were low—but the patient soon departed this world.

The enormous progress made in medical standards, and the ever-growing complexity of treatment, has naturally added to the cost—as does anything which contributes to modern living in all its phases.

In the palmy days of the Roman Empire the average lifetime was about 25 years. By 1700 it had risen to 33 years in the most advanced nations of the time. Now it is 67 years.

Better medical care is the big reason for increased longevity.

We're moving right ahead. Aren't you happy you're alive to see this progress?

## The 1948 Pig Crop

THE size of the pig crop pretty much determines what the nation's hog slaughter will be several months later—and the pig crop isn't what it used to be.

Last year our combined Spring and Fall pig crops were only about the size of the 1933 total. Yet, since 1933 American mothers and fathers have produced baby crops that have added 19.2 million mouths to the 125.5 million we were feeding 15 years ago.

Prospects are that the decline in hog numbers, which has proceeded almost steadily since the peak in 1943, will continue apace in 1948.

According to breeding intentions reported by farmers in the government's December pig survey, the number of sows to farrow between December, 1947, and May, 1948, may total 7.7 million head. If the number of pigs saved per litter equals the 1936-45 average, the 1948 Spring pig crop will total only 48 million head. That would be five million or nine percent less than last year.

The decrease is primarily the result of reduced feed grain supplies and high feed grain prices, both of which are the direct result of last year's unsatisfactory corn crop and our program to aid Europe.

One cost of the Marshall plan, of which little has been said and which we are just now beginning to feel, is fewer hogs and higher pork and other meat prices.

## Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
February 4.

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by The Mercury where the calendar promises us an early Easter. Let's hope the weatherman co-operates, too!

Words, according to a poet, cannot adequately describe the rainbow. There's one guy, apparently, who never heard a politician make a promise.

And say: The modern child, on listening to nursery rhymes, naturally wonders how come Little Boy Blue is invited to blow his horn without any mention of sanction by Petrillo.

Hopin' you air the same,

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

*READERS SAY:*

## It Doesn't Help to Shovel Snow Into the Streets

**Letters must not be more than 250 words long, of current topics and must not involve personalities. Writers must sign their names and give street address as evidence of good faith but these will be withheld from publication on request. It is a criminal offense to sign another person's name. Poetry, and communications advocating the election of political candidates are not acceptable.**

By MERCURY READERS

### Rid of It the Easy Way

To the Editor: I see that the more careless householders who have left a layer of ice on their sidewalks all Winter are taking the easy way out and tossing it into the street.

This will be just fine if it freezes again and makes conditions bad for the unwary motorist, or even if it doesn't freeze, and forms snowy obstacles for the pedestrian.

Anyhow, chances are that the borough snow removal crews will just scrape the stuff from the street and toss it back on the sidewalks again—then where are you?

How about using our heads and piling the snow neatly on the curb, where it belongs, and we'll all be better off.

Pottstown SNOWBOUND

### Narrow Streets Now One-Way

To the Editor: It's about time someone did something about the parking on both sides of the narrow streets in town. With snow pushed up along the curbs on such streets as Walnut, Chestnut and Beech, cars are forced to park farther out into these streets than usual.

There has been only one-way traffic on these streets for weeks.

If parking was banned on one side of these streets, there would be plenty of squawking, but those who yell the loudest will be the ones who shovel the snow out into the gutter and then park in the street to avoid the snow piles.

Pottstown MOTORIST

### Board's Actions a Secret?

To the Editor: Us folks in Lower Pottsgrove township like to know what our public officials are doing, but we can't seem to find much news about it in The Mercury. The other night the township's board of supervisors held a meeting and I heard that the annual budget was approved. We like to know how our money is being spent by officials we elected to office. Why all the secrecy?

Pottstown RD 4 P. N. K.

**(Editor's Note: A Mercury reporter called three members of the Lower Pottsgrove township board of supervisors Monday night after the board's meeting, but each time was curtly referred to other members of the board for information. A second effort Tuesday night to obtain the information was met by the same replies.)**

## The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

HARRY T., 39, is an insurance executive.

"Dr. Crane, my question is a technical one," he began our discussion. "I'd like to know the meaning of will power.

"Can we train children to have will power, or is it instilled in us at birth and not capable of being changed? What do psychologists say, Dr. Crane?"

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When a chronic drunkard signs the pledge and goes on the water wagon, but then turns into the next tavern he sees, we say he has no will power.

When a fat wife starts dieting, but helps herself liberally to candy, butter, and ice cream, we also say she has no will power.

Will power is not inborn. It develops after-birth. Like conscience, it refers to a certain group of habits which are built into our nervous system.

Our personality consists of a hierarchy of various levels of habits. These are of different degrees of complexity.

A man may have learned the habit of kissing an attractive girl. But he may also have learned the habit of avoiding such behavior with another man's wife. Now suppose he meets an especially enticing young woman who happens to be married.

Shall he kiss her, as his first habit would urge, or shall he follow the habit re-aroused by sight of the wedding band on her third finger?

This is a situation to which the term "will power" may properly apply. Indeed, will power often includes conscience. If the conflict is between a simple habit and a "church" or "law" type of habit, we say it lies in the field of conscience.

But if it falls within the field of glutting the senses versus following a scientific principle, then we seldom refer to conscience but to "will power."

The fat wife who broke her diet is thus described as lacking will power but not necessarily violating conscience.

We human beings thus have habits with reference to tangible objects in our environment. But we also have habits with reference to other habits and intangible ideas!

If we teach our children to analyze a problem completely before they act, then we can help make sure that they'll have will power. The fat wife reacted only to the immediate temptation of candy or ice cream.

If she had weighed that pleasure against the deferred but greater delight of having a slender figure, wearing a size 18 dress, and holding her husband's love thereby so he wouldn't fall in love with his stenographer, she could have shown more will power.

So teach children to diagnose their problems fully before they jump to conclusions. School courses in logic, plus participation in grammar or high school debating, serve as excellent training in will power, for they help pupils form the habit of marshalling all the pros and cons.

## FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING

For

MISS MARY NAPIER
Lower Lewis Road
Royersford

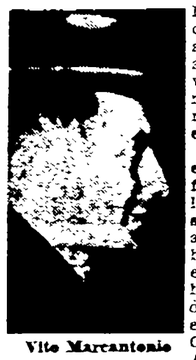
BECAUSE her engagement to Mr. Pierce K. Grimley, of 1310 Queen street, was announced.

*WASHINGTON*

## Wallace Courting 'Reds' As Ballot Box Gesture

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 — Henry A. Wallace's invitation to Communist sympathizers to vote for him is regarded by the politicians as a ballot-box gesture that ranks in the same category with the Democrats' courting of the colored vote and the Republicans' attempt to win the white - collar elements through tax reduction in the lower brackets.



Vito Marcantonio

The independent entry could not afford to affront the left - wingers for the simple reason that almost every member of his election executive committee has been a member of organizations listed by the House Committee on Un-American Activities as "Communist fronts."

This does not mean that they are Red party-liners. It does suggest that they have given power and prestige to groups which have generally pursued the Moscow path, and still do.

Just as generation of a spirit of unrest, discontent and hope for a "better world" advances Russia's international schemes, so the men around the former cabinet member depend on the votes of similarly frustrated people, not to elect Mr. Wallace, but to defeat President Truman. It is in 1952 that they expect to take over the White House.

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EXONERATED: J. Parnell Thomas, chairman of the House committee, has exonerated many people whose names were found on the rolls of these various organizations which his group, former Attorney General Francis Biddle and even A. G. Tom Clark have condemned. But the Wallace associates, in his opinion, are too experienced in politics, public life and foreign affairs not to understand the implications of their membership.

**The four "fronts" to which almost every Wallace electioneer belonged are the American League for Peace and Democracy, the Win the Peace Committee, the Independent Citizens' Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, and the Progressive Citizens of America. The first three groups disbanded or changed their names after Congressional exposure, but almost every individual on the Iowan's executive board eventually found his or her way into the P. C. A.**

The P. C. A., which will be Mr. Wallace's national political committee, once included such distinguished figures as Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, son James, Harold L. Ickes and other Rooseveltians. But they withdrew when it virtually endorsed Moscow's stand in the current controversy with the United States. With some reservations, all save the "Old Curmudgeon" will probably back Mr. Truman.

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MANAGERS: Elmer A. Benson, who heads the National Wallace-for-President Committee, appears most prominently in almost every one of these so-called "front" groups. The former Minnesota governor and U. S. senator, as a leader of the Democratic-Farmer Labor Party in his state, aims to monkey with the election machinery so that President Truman may have to run on an independent slate there.

C. D. Baldwin, actual campaign manager, does not show as a member. But, as an agriculture aid during the Wallace-Tugwell regime, and subsequently as head of the Farm Security Administration, he was frequently condemned on House and Senate floors for his "radical policies." Co-chairman Tugwell is not listed, but as Under Secretary of Agriculture and Governor of Puerto Rico, he was assailed for his "socialistic" ideas. He fathered Mrs. Roosevelt's resettlement program.

**Treasurer Angus Cameron of Lexington, Mass., does not appear in the Un-American committee's files. But the other Wallace managers were headliners in every group. They include such well-known figures as Balladist Paul Robeson, Sculptor Jo Davidson, Representative Vito Marcantonio, of New York, Lawyer Bartley C. Crum of San Francisco and Robert W. Kenny, former Attorney General of California.**

Prominent also was A. F. Whitney, railroad labor leader, during the period when he nursed a grudge against Mr. Truman for his proposal to break the rail strike of 1945 by drafting union members into the Army. But they have kissed and made up.

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CONDEMNED: These various organizations, like Mr. Wallace, have condemned American foreign policy on every front where it appears to conflict with Soviet aims. When several American Army fliers were shot down in Yugoslavian skies a few years ago, the Win the Peace Committee assailed our protest to Tito.

"Postwar Yugoslavia is not dictator ridden," it declared, . . . "only the brash could so soon forget that the people of Yugoslavia do not scare easily. This proud, young democracy, much like our own country a century or more ago, is jealous of its sovereign right to guard its territory and skies. The United States government overdrew our account by its unwarranted ultimatum to Yugoslavia."

This same group urged withdrawal of American forces from China and Korea in the face of State Department warnings that such a move would be followed by Russian occupancy of the Orient and possibly India. It said:

"We citizens of the United States of America are aghast and horror-struck that our American government by use of . . . planes, ships . . . shells and bombs . . . . is killing and maiming Chinese peasants, Chinese women and children."

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DENOUNCED: Again like Mr. Wallace, they have denounced the Marshall Plan in any form as "American imperialism." They have urged that the secret of the atom bomb be made public, despite Russia's persistent opposition to any program for United Nations inspection and control.

On the other hand, there is no record that these Wallace-for-President spokesmen have uttered any condemnation of Stalin's high-handed and brutal behaviour during the postwar period, not to mention the avalanche of broken pledges which have made discussion of World War III a dinner-table topic at every capital throughout the globe.

## THE NEW ROAD HOG

## Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 4—Howard Hughes has just bought twelve Gold Plate Constellations from Lockheed and will start putting them into service at the rate of one every two weeks beginning Feb. 15. Looks like this will give his T. W. A. company an edge on the other airlines for quite a spell . . . With Hughes' deal to buy R.K.O. studio still very hot and almost a a cinch to go through, you can't avoid hearing that gag, "He'll never get it off the ground'" at least four times a day! And people keep heckling Johnny Meyer with the reports that if Howard gets the studio, all its personnel will be re-ranked, with directors being called colonels, assistant directors being flight liteutenants, etc. . . . Personal to Jack Benny: We died laffing at that new sound-effect on your air-show Sunday—but didn't you get the idea for that wonuderful noise from the audition platter of the show, "Lets Talk Hollywood" (which we made with Reg Gardiner, Gregory Ratoff and Skinny Johnson) and which your company, Amusement Enterprises bought?

Howard Hughes

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PEGGY CUMMINS, fresh back in Filmtown after co-starring with Rex Harrison in "Escape" in England, will go right into the starring role of the new 20th-Fox picture, "Blind Date" — a typical American girl yarn about teen-agers and their parents which F. Hugh Herbert will direct . . The Shuberts have advised Silver Screen's Lester Grady that they'll proceed immediately with his musical, "Casa McCluskey" if he can get Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz to co-star in it . . . Regardless of any legal difficulties resulting from Johnny Weismuller's divorce and instant marriage to Eileen Gates the other day, he and his bride are planning to fly to Europe on Friday, 13th on their honeymoon . . . Cornell Wilde is leaving Hollywood for N. Y. today to go fetch his wife, Pat Knight back to Hollywood and home. It's an even money bet that she stays east to further her own career instead.

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VERY HUSH-HUSH is the deal now going on in relation to Cecil B. de Mille's interest in "Samson and Delilah" over which he's blown hot and cold for years. There's a big possibility that this will be the next de Mille "project." He's even to the point where he's thinking out loud about borrowing R. K. O.'s Robert Ryan for the Samson role. (He really should get Weissmuller because HE usually needs a haircut worse than anybody!) . . . Remember Baby Peggy, one-time child star of the moom pitchers? Well, she's not a baby anymore. At the moment she's divorcing Gordon Ayres, who used to be a child actor himself . . .

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STARLET JOYCE SAUNDERS has caught the eye of Cesar Romero. They're a night after nightem . . . Probably the tallest actress to iand in Hollywood is six foot six Hope Emerson, who is leaving Broadway to take up her contract here at 20th Fox. She goes into "The Chair for Martin Rome" . . . Frank Morgan's lap is full of playscripts. He has a great big yen to return to the Broadway stage . . . Bob Hope leaves on a three week tour to the east this week with his pal, Charlie Cooley. They'll hit Philadelphia where Cooley will soon have eight uncles by marriage—all cops! He's marrying Isabel Cushing. Someone asked Hope the other day what he liked best on his radio and Dream-puss (that's Hope) answered, "A cocktail shaker!"

## Bridge

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

*Some Make You Work*

SOME DEFENDERS have the habit of always coming in with their winning high cards at the first opportunity, thereby making it easy for you to utilize your own trick winners for maximum results. Others, however, don't ease your path in that way. They like to make you work for whatever you get, knowing that once in a while you will not work in the most efficient way. But which is more fun — getting your good scores through the defenders' ineptness, or through your own meritorious performance?

North: ♠ 10 5 ♥ K Q 5 4 3 ♦ 8 ♣ A K Q 8 5
West: ♠ K 8 2 ♥ J 8 7 ♦ 10 6 5 2 ♣ 9 7 6
East: ♠ J 9 6 4 3 ♥ 9 ♦ A J ♣ J 10 4 3 2
South: ♠ A Q 7 ♥ A 10 6 2 ♦ K Q 9 7 4 3 ♣ None

(Dealer: North. East-West vulnerable.)

| North | East | South | West |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass |
| 4 NT | Pass | 5 ♥ | Pass |
| 6 ♥ | | | |

This was one of the last deals played by the late Dr. Arthur L. Pulver, one of New York's most enthusiastic duplicate devotees. Most other pairs reached the same contract in a game conducted at Pearl Martyn's Winthrop Hotel club, and in nearly all cases the spade 4 was led. One inexperienced declarer got himself set at once by putting in the Q. When the K won, West returned the diamond 2 to the A to set the contract.

In other cases the play went about parallel. The spade A won, then the heart K, A and Q and the club A, K and Q, discarding two spades and a diamond, whereupon the diamond 8 was led. East at all tables except the doctor's came in with the A, making the rest easy after the club J was returned and ruffed. The diamond K and Q furnished discards of North's last spade and club, leaving two trumps for the finish.

Against Dr. Pulver, East played the J on the diamond 8 lead. The Q won. Then a low diamond was ruffed, taking out the A, and the club 6 ruffed in dummy. The diamond K then brought a discard of Dr. Pulver's last spade and he was sure of his contract, giving up a single club to East at the windup.

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Tomorrow's Problem

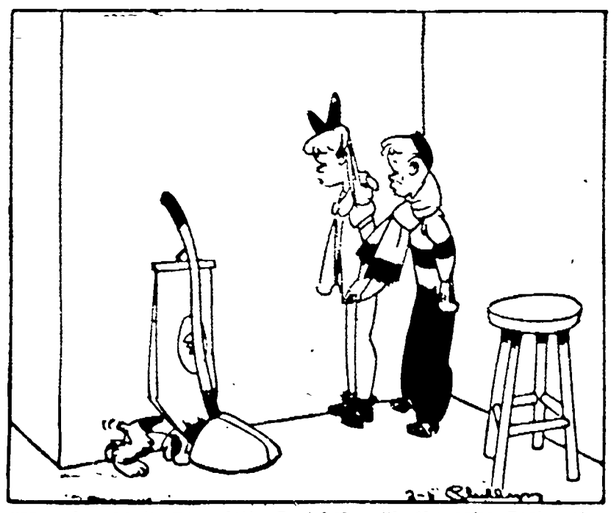
North: ♠ Q 10 6 ♥ A Q 8 3 ♦ A K 4 3 ♣ 9 4
West: ♠ 8 5 4 2 ♥ J 10 9 7 ♦ J 9 7 2 ♣ 8
East: ♠ 3 ♥ K 6 4 2 ♦ Q 10 8 ♣ K J 10 5 2
South: ♠ A K J 9 7 ♥ 5 ♦ 6 5 ♣ A Q 7 6 3

(Dealer: South. East-West vulnerable.)

How should South seek his 6-Spades following the heart J lead?

## Pottstown Sketches

By PHILLIPS



*"Mom bought it, Bernadette Bartchak, with the raise Pop's going to ask for Saturday."*

## In Retrospect

### 50 Years Ago

February 5, 1898

FROZEN TO DEATH — The lifeless body of Verdilla Frick, 22, of Gilbertsville, was found near her home early yesterday morning by a neighbor, Mahlon Moser. She was frozen to death. A light shawl was drawn about her shoulders.

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VERSATILE INVENTOR — Charley Clark has invented a "snow exterminator" which he will demonstrate on numerous snow drifts here.

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TOLL ROAD CONDEMNED—The toll road between Yellow House and Douglassville, five miles in length, will be condemned and taken over by the State. Dr. E. C. Kitchin, Amityville, and Mahlon D. Weidner, well-known miller, of Earlville, testified before Master Charles M. Plank, of Reading, in favor of the change.

### 25 Years Ago

February 5, 1923

NAME NOTARIES PUBLIC—George H. Baer and George M. Diemer have been recommended by Governor Gifford Pinchot for re-appointment to the office of notary public.

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25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Fridy, of 17 King street, observed their 25th wedding anniversary at their home. Mr. Fridy is a son of Samuel H. Fridy, 24 South Charlotte street. His wife was Martha E. Eppehimer, daughter of Howard Eppehimer, Walnut street, Royersford.

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WORKMAN INJURED—Eugene Hoover, son of William F. Hoover, 389 North Hanover street, had a bone in his left foot fractured at the Eastern Steel company's plant.

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GIFT OF ORANGES—Vert Betz, restaurateur of King and Hanover streets, received a box of oranges from "Dutch" Seasholtz, who is a Florida visitor.

### 10 Years Ago

February 5, 1938

WEDDING EVENT — Miss Elsie L. Mohler, daughter of Mrs. Lucille Mohler, 359 North Evans street, was married to Paul I. Batman, son of George Batman, of 873 South street, in St. John's Reformed church, by the pastor, the Rev. Paul E. Schmoyer.

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GROUNDHOG'S ERROR—A groundhog that came out on Groundhog Day was shot on North Keim street by William Lightcap. The nine-pound animal ignored its shadow and was sunning itself when seen by Lightcap.

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WARWICK SCHOOL EXPANDS — The Warwick township school at Knauertown will be enlarged. A gymnasium and auditorium annex will be built.

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KING'S DAUGHTERS MEET — The King's Daughters circle met at the home of Miss M. Irene Boyer, 227 Beech street. Miss Boyer spoke on "Banishing Fear." New members are Mrs. William Rhoads and Mrs. Henry Rhoads.

## Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

### Broadway Bulletin Board

MOST FASCINATING romance of the season stars Hedy Lamarr and Cary Grant. They've been having quiet dates in a little hideaway place in North Hollywood . . . When Mickey Rooney returns to the U. S. within the next few days, he'll have a new English comedian under his wing . . . . Incidentally, the chilly reception accorded Mickey by the British press, plus the criticism Loretta Young received for being overly sympathetic to the plight of Londoners, is causing dozens of Hollywood celebrities to turn down offers to appear in England . . . Mrs. Van Johnson, the former Eve Abbott Wynn, is ailing. Hasn't been really well since the birth of the baby . . . Actor Patric Knowles and his bride have reconciled . . . If Pentagon Building conferences now going on in Washington were made public, citizens would be scared to death . . . Kathleen ("Forever Amber") Winsor is recovering from an attack of pneumonia . . . Jennifer Jones arrives from Switzerland on the Queen Mary. Ship news scribes might ask her if it's true she lost her heart to an American actor-director-producer while she was in Italy.

Loretta Young

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**GEORGE MONTGOMERY (Dinah Shore's handsome husband) is currently in the lead for the role of Jack Dempsey when the life story of the Manassa Mauler becomes a screen drama . . . The Virginia Mayo-Sam Goldwyn parting was anything but friendly. She may sign with RKO next . . . Thomas Heggin, author of "Mr. Roberts," the play destined to be Broadway's next sensation, will waltz down the aisle with Helen Parker . . . During the weekend chill, hundreds of New Yorkers telephoned neighborhood theatres to ask, not what picture was playing, but: "Are you heated?" . . . If the $50,000 suit being brought by Mrs. Paul Horton, New Jersey socialite, against her stepdaughter, Matthews model Inez Gay, reaches the courtroom stage, it may be of headline proportions**

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JUDY CANOVA'S penicillin poisoning has developed into a stubborn throat infection . . . Hollywood is excited about Ginger Rogers' split-up with her manager, Eddie Rubin. Formerly her press agent, he was generally regarded to be almost a Svengali in handling her business and personal affairs . . . Bea Wain was the envy of local girls during the zero spell. She wore a "heated" polo coat that works like an electric blanket. It operates on a small battery unit concealed in a fuzzy muff . . . Babe Ruth's weight has dropped from 235 to 215, which doctors say is the best poundage for him . . . Lana Turner currently is pulling more fan mail than any other star in Hollywood—but most of it is hot criticism of her recent escapades. The Johnston Office and M. G. M. is doing considerable brain-wracking to try and figure a way to "save Lana at the box office" because she represents such a tremendous investment.

*ALL AROUND THE TOWN*

## Magnolias in February... Another Floral Surprise...

EARLY SPRING — Why is the magnolia tree of Mrs. Collier Rhoads, Pottstown RD 3, like a cat? Answer: It has more than one life . . . When two branches of this hardy native of the Old South were broken off during a snow storm two weeks ago, Mrs. Rhoads snatched them up and committed them to water, hoping they might take root. Instead, seven rosy blooms broke open like small parachutes all over the branches. They lasted almost a week now, she says, but are beginning to droop.

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**WONDER — Employes of the Citizens National Bank and Trust company rubbed their eyes as they walked into work the other morning, for a 15-foot Dracaena plant (a genus of the lily family) in the bank lobby has burst into bloom. The plant, one of two which have decorated the lobby for the past 12 years, had never before flowered. In fact, Oliver L. Christman, local florist from whom the plants were purchased, called it a horticultural phenomena. Christman said he'd never known a Dracaena plant to bloom. The flowers are straw-colored and hang in clusters among the leaves which, at this point, have grown to between 18 and 24 inches in length.**

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WOMEN are funny that way: Pottstonian tells of this incident that happened in a nearby metropolis: A dowager accompanied by two other women was shopping for draperies. The saleswoman trotted out some extra fancy ones with a $1500 price tag on them. "Those are lovely," declared the customer, "send them out." The saleswoman was extremely happy over the sale until another customer confided softly to her, "Don't get excited. I know her. She was just trying to impress those other two women. She'll call later and cancel the order." The woman did exactly that.

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**IT'S PROBABLY a hundred years old, but it still produces a guffaw. The case was up in a justice of the peace court. The justice of the peace was advising the defendant of his rights. "If you need an attorney," he began, "you are at liberty to have . . ." Without waiting for the justice of the peace to finish, the defendant spoke up, "I don't need a lawyer, I'm going to tell the truth."**

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THINGS THAT Are Happening To Our Population: Before the war 2,200,000 American babies were born a year. Last year the total jumped to 3,730,000. Before the war there were 1,400,000 marriages a year. Last year there were 1,900,000. Ten years ago there was a divorce for each six marriages. Last year the ratio was one of four. But seven out of eight divorced persons remarry . . . Beware of the notion that you can buy a new car here, drive it to California and sell it at a handsome profit. The California car market is glutted and prices are lower than in Pottstown.

## YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

THOUGH tiny — 7/25,000 of an inch in diameter — the blood's red cells are among the most remarkable and important of the body's structures. On them our life ultimately depends because they are the carriers of essential oxygen to all the tissues.

Perhaps because they work so hard, the life span of these little cells is short—only about three weeks. Normally they die and are replaced at the rate of about one million daily.

When they die faster than this or form more slowly, their number is deficient for the work they have to do, and the condition known to medicine as anemia exists. It may also be brought about by loss of blood from the body through accident or disease.

Though there are dozens of different factors which operate to bring about anemia, all may be grouped under one of these three groups — loss of blood, excessive destruction of red cells or impaired blood formation. The treatment of anemia, therefore, depends on which of these three basic causes is at the root of the condition.

In the present article I shall discuss the anemia due to blood loss. Now blood loss may be sudden and massive, as from an injury, or gradual and seeping, as from piles or stomach ulcer. In either case, since there is no disease of the blood involved, red cells are normal in size but their number is definitely below par.

In all cases where there is loss of blood, the first and most important thing to do is to stop the bleeding. If it is due to an injury which tears a large blood vessel, it may be feasible to stop the bleeding by applying a tourniquet. Sometimes bleeding can only be stopped by operation.

When the bleeding occurs from piles or hemorrhoids, or from an ulcer of the stomach or in the intestine, the important thing again is to make every effort to stop the bleeding. In both of these conditions, the blood must be replaced by a blood transfusion if the amount lost is excessive. If whole blood is not immediately available, then the fluid part of the blood or plasma is injected into a vein, until blood of a proper type is available for transfusion. Plasma is now present and readily available in every hospital in the country.

In addition to stopping the bleeding and giving proper blood and plasma, it is frequently necessary to give preparations containing iron by mouth, since iron is one of the chief constituents of the blood's red cells. Some of the commoner ones are Blaud's pills, iron sulfate, and iron gluconate. In some cases, crude liver extracts have also been used effectively.

## One-Minute Test

1. What chief justice of the United States Supreme Court died last year?
2. Who is the present chief justice of the Supreme Court?
3. What president of the United States later became chief justice of the Supreme Court?

One-Minute Test Answers

1. Harlan Fiske Stone.
2. Fred M. Vinson.
3. William H. Taft.

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# Emergency Fund Cut Defeated in House; Appropriation Voted

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—The first big appropriation bill of 1948 skimmed through the House today after a brief flareup over President Truman's $700,000 emergency fund.

The $991,518,551 bill finances a score of miscellaneous Federal agencies, including the White House, for the fiscal year starting July 1. The total is $56,280,313 below the President's budget estimates—a cut of about six percent.

The vote that sent the bill to the Senate was 339 to 10. All 10 negative votes came from Republicans.

The skirmish over the President's emergency fund developed over an amendment by Rep. Rees (R-Kan) to take $200,000 off the $700,000 recommended by the appropriations committee. The President had asked for $1,000,000, twice what he was given for the year ending June 30.

**Rees claimed that not even by "the greatest stretch of the imagination" could many of the so-called items be considered emergencies. Many of them, he said, should be considered by Congress before they are financed.**

Turning to Southern Democrats who fought his amendment and have been assailing the President's recent civil rights recommendations, Rees pointed out that one of the activities financed from the emergency fund is the President's commission on civil rights.

Democratic leader Rayburn of Texas called the $700,000 a "modest sum" and told his colleagues that Congress in the past has given Presidents, including Republicans, the money they sought to run their offices.

Not a single Democrat supported the Rees amendment, while 12 Republicans opposed it. The vote that killed it was 82 to 59.

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79c Linen TEA TOWELS 2 for 1.00
Regulation size, attractive print patterns, hemmed ready for use.

Cannon PILLOW CASES 2 for 1.00
Type 128, seconds of a better grade, size 42 by 36. Neat hem.

Cannon TURKISH TOWELS 3 for 1.00
Size 18 x 36 "DRY-FAST" quality - - - good for hand use. Limit 6 to a customer.

Regular 5.00 Casement Drapes 2.00
Full length; pinch-pleated. Beige color. SAVE 3.00

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A choice selection of styles and fabrics. Out they go!

Regular 7.94 Knit Sofa Covers 2.00
Made by "Sure-Fit" for regular or extra size sofas. Maroon pattern on rose ground.

"Dryfast" Wash Cloths 7 FOR 1.00
Made by Cannon Mills - - - plaids and solid colors. Absorbent, durable.

Cottage Curtain Sets 2 FOR 1.00
Gay fruit design in red or white; includes tie-backs, sash and topper.

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Size 48 x 48" and 54 x 54". Elaborate prints in cheerful colorings. Fast colors.

DRESS MATERIALS 2 yds. 1.00
Gingham, percales in prints and solids. Fast colors.

36 in. Striped Outing Flannel 3 yds. 1.00
Soft fleecy nap, good weight for pajamas, gowns, etc. Soiled along selvage.

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Reduced from 1.49 and 1.94. Cloth and four napkins, with embroidery decoration.

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Regular 39c per yard. Good quality for making sheets, pillow cases, covers, etc. Will bleach white.

Stamped Scarfs and Vanity Sets in rose, blue and peach 2 for 1.00
Stamped Bridge Sets . . . . 1.00
Dresser Scarfs and Vanity Sets, 2 for 1.00

*Downstairs*

*Clearance!*

COTTON DRESSES $1
Sizes 9 to 15, 12 to 42. Odd lot. All better dresses reduced for quick clearance!

UNIFORMS $1
White and colored; broken sizes, slightly soiled.

COTTON DRESSES For Juniors $3 - $4
Only a limited lot—so get here early! . . . Regular value up to 5.94.

SMOCKS and BRUNCH COATS $2 each
All 80-square percales; smocks in sizes 14 to 20 and brunch coats in sizes 38 to 50. Guaranteed washable.

PLASTIC TEA APRONS 4 for 1.00
Regularly 79c each. Assorted colors. Waterproof. Ruffled trims.

*Downstairs*

Dollar Bargains for Women!

SALE OF LADIES' ACCESSORIES
- All wool scarfs
- Tailored or dressy dickies
- Fur muffs
- Genuine leather belts

Your Choice..... 4 for 1.00

Ladies' All-Wool Gloves
Ladies' Rayon Squares
Ladies' Sequin Ascots 2 for 1.00

Ladies' Better RAYON PANTIES 2 for 1.00
Reg. 69c each. Two-bar tricot knit rayon jersey. Mostly briefs with leg bands. Tearose and white. Sizes 5, 6, 7 and extra sizes.

Ladies' All Wool Flannel Robes $10
Regularly to 16.95. Zipper fronts and wrap-arounds; full flare skirts. Famous makes. Sizes 9 to 15, 12 to 20.

SALE OF LADIES' UNDIES
- Tuckstitch panties
- Rayon panties
- Nylon slips, cotton bloomers
- Rayon bed jackets.

4 for 1.00

LADIES' FLANNELETTE PAJAMAS 2 FOR 3.00
Regular 3.59 each. Heavy weight for extra warmth. Sanforized, less than 1% shrinkage. Pink or blue stripes. Sizes 36 to 40.

*Main Floor*

DOLLAR DAY CLEARANCE

GIRDLES! $1.00
Two-way stretch in size "small" only. Black and tearose. Formerly sold up to 3.50. All sales final.

GIRDLES! $2.00
Side hooks, step-ins; boned or elastic backs; tearose and black; broken sizes. Formerly to 8.00. All sales final.

*Main Floor*

Sale! Misses' 2-Piece Rayon SUITS $3
Sizes 14 to 20
Washable and crease-resistant. Colors: gray, maize, wine.
*Main Floor*

Sale! Girls' Cotton PANTIES 4 for $1
Winter weight washable cotton; sizes 2, 4, 6. Regular 49c value.
*Downstairs*

Sale! Girls' All-Wool SWEATERS 1.00
Popular slip-on style. [illegible] colors in all sizes. [illegible] 2.98 and 3.98. Sizes 8 to [illegible]. Slightly soiled.
*Main Floor*


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**LADIES' RAYON HOSE**

Full-fashioned; perfect quality; well-known makes. Light shades. Sizes 9 to 10½. 2 Pairs $1

**None of These Items Sold Today, Thursday!**

## Stirring Value in Boys' Wear

**BOYS' LONG SLEEVE POLO SHIRTS**

Crew neck style, assorted stripes in blue and maroon combinations. Sizes 12, 14, 16. 2 for $1

**BOYS' BRIEF and MIDWAY SHORTS**

Made of all combed yarn; 12½% wool or all cotton. All around elastic. Sizes small, medium and large. 3 for $1

**A LOT FOR A LITTLE—BOYS' ANKLETS**

Stay-up elastic tops; colorful stripes boys want. All fast colors. 6 prs. $1

**Boys' Warm MITTENS** — 4 PAIRS 1.00

Made of corduroy and cloth in two - tone combinations; knitted wrists. Sizes 3, 4, 5.

**BOYS' SWEATERS** — $1.00

Values to 1.94. Coat and pull-over style, solids and two-tones; also some sleeveless. Sizes 4 to 14.

**BOYS' GREY COVERT KOVERALLS**

Regular 1.89 value. 3-pocket front; drop seat and button front; long sleeve, collar style. Sanforized, less than 1% shrinkage. Sizes 2, 4, 8. $1

**BOYS' 1.49 CORDUROY SHORTS**

Pinwale corduroy, in suspender style; 2-pocket front; blue or maroon. Sizes 3 to 6. $1

**BOYS' PLAID FLANNEL SHIRTS**

Bright assortment. Full button front with one pocket. Two-way collar; inner-outer style. Sizes 4 to 16. $1.69

**BOYS' WARM KNIT CAPS**

Choice of brown, blue or maroon. Helmet or ace-cap styles. Marked for wool content. 3 prs. $1

*Second Floor*

## BIG SAVINGS IN READY-TO-WEAR!

**Ladies' Slip-Over Sweaters** — $1

Better wool sweaters in an array of popular colors . . . to wear on through Spring. Misses and women's sizes 34 to 40.

**Group of Ladies' Sportswear** — $1

Choice of blouses, boleros, jerkins, skirts, jumpers and ski-caps. Small lots of each, likely to be sold out Friday!

**Final Clearance of Dresses** — $3 / $5

Crepes, gabardines and wools in casual, sport and dressy styles. Sizes 9 to 15 and 12 to 20. Also maternity dresses in sizes 9 to 15. Greatly reduced!

**MISSES' AND WOMEN'S PLASTIC RAINCOATS** — $1

Transparent plastic coat to throw over your winter coat . . . choice of clear, maize and aqua. Sizes small, medium and large. Cut from 3.95 to 1.00.

**REMAINING STOCK OF LADIES' WINTER COATS AND SUITS**

*Greatly Reduced for Quick 2-Day Clearance!*

**PRICES ARE LOW, COME EARLY FOR THESE OUTSTANDING VALUES!**

*Main Floor*

## Dollar Savings for Girls!

*Final Clearance* — **Odd Lot of Snow Suits, Coats and Legging Sets** — 5.00 EACH

A few of a kind. Sizes 4 to 6, 7 to 10—10 to 12.

*Final Clearance* — **Entire Stock of Girls' Coat & Legging Sets, Coats and Snow Suits** — $10 to $17

Formerly 16.94 to 28.94. Sizes 4 to 10

**Children's Flannelette SLEEPERS** — 2 FOR 1.00

Regular 1.19 each. Size 2 only. While they last - - -

**Girls' Cotton Dresses** — $1

Regular 1.95 - - - look what you save. Sizes 3 to 6X.

**Girls 100% Wool Sweaters** — $1

Slip-over style; all colors; broken sizes, 8 to 14. Slightly soiled . . . Regular 2.98.

**Girls' Cotton Winter Panties** — 4 FOR 1.00

Were 39c to 59c each. Sizes 2, 4, 6 . . . Come early!

*Main Floor*

## Infants' Dollar Day Sale!

**Cannon Muslin CRIB SHEETS** — $1

Standard size; neat top and bottom hems. Usually 1.29

**BIRDSEYE DIAPERS** — 2.59 doz.

Sizes 27 x 27 inches. Formerly 3.19 dozen. Soft finish. Durable quality.

*Final Clearance* — **Girls' One-Piece Snow Suit and 2-Piece Legging Sets** — 4.00 EACH

Values to 10.94. Mostly girls' styles, a few for boys.

**BOYS' WASH SUITS** — 1.00

Reduced from 1.95. Sizes 3 to 6. Slightly soiled.

**ALL-WOOL SHAWLS** — $2

Mostly blue; slightly soiled. Regular 3.98 and 4.98.

**ODD LOT TABLE** — 87c

Sleepers, sweaters, bonnets; cotton knit suits and muffs. Regularly to 1.98.

*Main Floor*

## Man-Sized Dollar Day Savings!

**Men's Genuine LEATHER JACKETS** — $10

Formerly priced to 19.94. Capeskin in natural brown; fully lined for extra warmth. Full zipper front. Sizes 36 to 46. Just 17 to go!

**Men's White and Fancy DRESS SHIRTS** — $2

Values to 2.95. High count broadcloth in stripes, prints or solid white; soft or non-wilt collar, sizes 14 to 17. Sanforized, less than 1% shrinkage. All perfect quality.

**Regular to 7.94 MEN'S DRESS PANTS** — $4

Neat stripes, herringbones, checks and plaids. Labeled for wool content. Five pockets, zipper or button fly. Sizes 28 to 42 in the lot.

**Men's 1.00 Wool, Silk and Rayon TIES** — 2 FOR 1.00

Non-wrinkable wools, pure silks, rayons in an array of colorful and conservative patterns.

**Men's Work Jackets** — VALUES TO 4.97 — 3.00

Warmly lined with fleecy flannel; four pockets; water - repellent; dependable make. Gray denim. Sizes 38 to 46.

**Men's Utility Jackets** — 1.75 VALUE — 1.00

O.D. workmen's twill jackets; Navy surplus; 3-pocket model. Sizes 34 and 36 only.

**Men's White Overalls** — 1.98 VALUE — 1.00

Government surplus, heavy twill; large flap pocket. Strongly made for lasting wear. Sizes small, medium and large.

**Men's 50% WOOL HOSE** — 4 PAIRS 1.00

Regular 39c per pair. For dress or work; regular length; warm and durable. Solid colors, gray and black. Sizes 10½ to 13.

**Men's Famous Make JEWELRY** — 1/2 PRICE!

Take your choice of clips, collar pins and key chains. Special group priced for clearance!

**Men's All-Wool MUFFLERS** — 1.00

VALUES TO 2.94

Excellent selection of plaids, checks and solid colors. Fringed ends.

**Midway Shorts** — 4 FOR 1.00

Army surplus, Winter weight; ecru color; mid-length knitted shorts, tie sides. Sizes 30 to 36. Value 49c each.

**FOUNTAIN PENS Pen and Pencil Sets** — 1/2 Price!

Nationally advertised by a leading maker, backed by his guarantee for service. 14-karat gold pen point; plunger type for ink loading.


# 38,700 Pickled Bikini Fish Are Added To 20,000,000 Smithsonian Institute Objects

## Heart Chairman

Appointed chairman of National Heart Week, Feb. 8-14, by the American Heart Association, radio star Kate Smith accepts a donation from Dr. Charles A. R. Connor in New York. The purpose of the campaign is to reduce heart fatilities through public education and scientific research.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP) — Things really are getting stuffy in America's attic, the Smithsonian institution.

For there now are 20,000,000 specimens — including Princess Kawananakoa's feathers — stuffed into the famous 100-year-old museum.

This statistic staggered out of the Smithsonian's annual report today, and it shows the museum has had a busy year.

During fiscal 1946-47, the Smithsonian acquired 746,870 new specimens.

Such as:

**The modern bombsight which was used in dropping the first atomic bomb on Hiroshima.**

Princess Kawananakoa's ancient feather robes, presented to the museum by her descendants.

38,700 Bikini fishes, pickled in alcohol, brought in after the Navy's bomb tests.

A gadget which can engrave the Lord's Prayer 78,250 times in a square inch.

A satin dress worn by Mrs. John Quincy Adams when Mr. John Quincy Adams was President.

All of which eventually adds up to 20,000,000 specimens.

Now to give you some idea of how many 20,000,000 is:

Let's suppose you're Dr. Alexander Wetmore, Smithsonian secretary. And let's suppose you accept a specimen every second, day and night without letup. It would take 13,900 days, or 38 years, to stuff your museum with 20,000,000 specimens.

But look at what you've got.

**It's hard, of course, to estimate in dollars and cents what a museum is worth.**

What's the value of the pants George Washington wore in the Revolutionary war?

Or the flag that inspired Francis Scott Key to write "The Star Spangled Banner?"

But Dr. Wetmore has done his best. In his report to Congress, he said:

"We place a value on these vast collections at upward of a half billion dollars."

As Princess Kawananakoa used to say, "That ain't hay."

## Dairymen Advocate Shot of Gin for Bull

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 4 (AP) — Beer for cows? Certainly not.

But a wee nip of something stronger for the male of the species isn't amiss even here in "America's Dairyland."

Dairymen at the University of Wisconsin farm and home show pooh-poohed claims that a beer-drinking English cow produced 41,952 pounds of milk in 329 days, and declared they'd continue to feed alfalfa, silage and grain.

It's different, though, with bulls.

"A couple of slugs of gin or bourbon will do wonders for a listless, sleepy - eyed bull," one veteran cattleman commented. "But give 'em too much and you'd better run for the barn."

## $150,000 Fire Ruins Former Cromwell Home

NORRISTOWN, Feb. 4 (AP) — Graystone, the former home of former ambassador James H. R. Cromwell, was swept by fire today with damage estimated by firemen at $150,000.

The old two-and-a-half story stone building near here was left in ruins, its roof gone, the interior burned out and floors collapsed. Five companies helped bring the flames under control.

The average motor car contains 45 pounds of copper, mostly in the radiator.

## Actress Kay Francis Leaves Ohio Hospital

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 4 (AP)—Stage and screen actress Kay Francis today slipped unnoticed out of White Cross hospital where she had been recovering since Jan. 23 from an overdose of sleeping tablets.

Hospital attendants said Miss Francis was wheeled on a stretcher from the rear door of the hospital to a waiting car, although she was able to walk. They said it was a ruse to avoid public appearance.

Earlier, her secretary, a Miss Powers of Los Angeles, insisted the star of "State of the Union" would not leave Columbus today.

## Man Loses Mother, Fiancee in One Day

JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 4 (AP) — Leo Waldvogel's mother died last night after a short illness.

Waldvogel, 40, telephoned the news to his fiancee, Miss Beulah Savio, 38, a short time later.

Miss Savio suffered a stroke and died today.


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# Youth to Undergo Delicate Operation; Eye Cut by Steel

His right eye pierced with a splinter of steel, Donald Robinson, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, Spring City RD 1, lay in the Phoenixville hospital yesterday awaiting the operation which may save his eye

The youngster was repairing a pair of tire chains in his cellar workshop Monday night when the sliver of steel flew into his eye.

Believing it had washed out of his eye, he went to bed and the following day attended school as usual. When he returned home in the afternoon the eye was bloodshot and covered with a gray film. Infection apparently had set in during the day.

Mrs. Robinson, seeing the condition of his eye, brought him to Dr Christian E Moser, Spring City physician, who took him to the office of Dr. C. Fremont Hall, Phoenixville eye specialist.

The boy was placed in the Phoenixville hospital, where X-rays were taken to determine the extent of injury to his eye.

If the delicate operation to remove the steel splinter is successful and the infection is reduced, his sight may be saved. If, however, the eye has been damaged too badly, it may be necessary to remove it in order to prevent injury to his left eye.

Donald is one of the 11 children in the Robinson family who were gifted with candy and ice cream after a picture of Mrs Robinson and her seven pre-school age children appeared in The Mercury.

# State, Local Workers Clear Roads of Snow

Snow from previous offerings received a protective covering from another heavy blanket yesterday in the Twin-Borough area, calling out all motorized equipment and manual labor to combat the elements.

Reaching a depth of at least eight inches, the downfall again played havoc with traffic, vehicular and pedestrian, and caused widespread inconvenience, contrasted to the delight of the youngsters.

The absence of high wind aided in preventing roads from becoming drifted shut, although the efficient work of State highway employes and the street department employes of Twin Boroughs kept the roads open. State highway plows and borough plows were running all day. No roads in the local area were reported closed last night.

**TRUCK FIRE QUENCHED**

Liberty Fire company, Spring City, responded to an alarm yesterday morning at 11 30 o'clock, to extinguish a fire in a motor truck, which was reported on fire on Main street, Royersford, but the firemen were not needed. What fire there was had been extinguished by smothering it.

# NEW BERLINVILLE

**Miranda Boyer, corr. Mest News Agency, delivery. Phone Boyertown 184.**

Mr. and Mrs. John Weand, of Boyertown, called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Frain and family.

Miss Lizzie Johnson spent an evening with Miranda Boyer, she also made a business trip to Pottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Yoder, of Bally, visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moser and son, LaVerne.

Owen Henry and Walter Hayum, of Albright college, Reading, spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Henry. Owen Henry has a short vacation. Hayum returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Frederick and family moved to their home in Boyertown recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Henry called on Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moser and family in Boyertown. They also visited Mrs. Mary Shock, Mr and Mrs Lester Schock and son, Calvin, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eshbach in Bechtelsville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clouser Jr and family entertained visitors recently.

Ella Engle, Jennie Yoder and Esther Fink attended the Berks County Ladies auxiliary meeting at the Reading Junior fire company.

## Twin-Boro Classified

**Deaths 1**

THOMAS—In Memorial hospital, Pottstown, on Tuesday Feb 3 1948 Madge B., widow of Edwin B Thomas Relatives and friends are invited to the service at the funeral home of W D Geiser, 500 Washington St, Royersford, on Saturday at 2 p m Interment Fernwood cemetery

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# Women's Library Club Discusses Plans For Parent-Teacher Unit in Spring City

Plans for the formation of a Parent-Teacher association were discussed at the February meeting of Women's Literary club of Spring City Tuesday afternoon in Tall Cedars temple.

No definite action was taken, but parents were urged to become interested in the proposed movement.

The monthly business meeting of the club preceded a program, with members of Girl Scout Troop 27 and the Brownies present as guests.

**Highlighting the program was the Rev. G. H. Seidel, pastor of Royersford Trinity Evangelical Congregational church, humorist and magician, who presented "Do's and Dont's For the Scouts" in an act of magic. Miss Edith Young gave several pleasing piano solos.**

Committee chairmen reporting were. Mrs. Emma Wells, art committee, who announced an art table would be arranged for the April meeting, Mrs William Ewing, education, who read a communication from the State department of education which told of school conditions in the devastated areas of foreign countries, and urging a collection of needed articles to be made up in kits and sent abroad.

Mrs. James D. Fletcher, finance, reported plans for a market April 2. Miss Bertha Brower, library, reported two new books had been secured for the Scouts.

**Mrs. Charles M. Taylor, membership, reported two new members, Mrs. Robert Painter and Mrs. Wilmer Rambo.. Mrs. Irvin C. Young, program chairman, announced vibraharp music would be provided at the March meeting by Mrs. Harry Cowdrick, and Jane T. Watson, Philadelphia, would present "Gracious Living."**

Announcement was made of a Fine Arts meeting to be held at New Century club, West Chester, March 18, and the state convention, to take place at Harrisburg May 3, 4 and 5

Mrs. Franklin Wacha, Scout leader, announced the Scouts had adopted a little sister from Scotland and have sent canned goods and Christmas gifts.

**RECITAL ARRANGED**

Ferdinand Malenke, organist of Royersford Grace Lutheran church, will play an organ recital Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock, assisted by Miss Elva Place, a student at West Chester State Teachers college, vocal soloist.

# Boy, 18, Admits Raping Girl, 4; Held by Police

CARLISLE, Feb 4 (AP)—An 18-year-old former bowling alley pin boy pleaded guilty today to charges of raping a four-year-old child the past Oct. 14.

Justice of the Peace William Dosh said he ordered Carl Nolf, Carlisle, taken to the Cumberland county jail pending fixing of the amount of bail.

Nolf, who enlisted in the Army 13 days after the incident was alleged to have occurred, was charged with rape, assault and battery with intent to ravish, aggravated assault and battery and assault and battery.

# 'Ford Tax Collector, Son on West Coast Mark Anniversary

Daniel J. Mowrey, Royersford tax collector, brought his birthday anniversary to a close Tuesday night by cutting a birthday cake at the same time as his son, Horace Mowrey and family, also were cutting a birthday cake in Salinas, Calif.

**The coincidence came to light when the father put in a telephone call to his son at 10 p.m. It was 7 p m. in Salinas when the son picked up the 'phone and heard his father on the other end. When the son inquired what his father was doing, the latter replied he was cutting a cake to celebrate his birthday. The son replied, so are we, as he wished his pater a happy birthday, etc.**

Attending the celebration at the Mowrey home in Royersford were Mr and Mrs Daniel Mowrey, Mr and Mrs Jay Mowrey and Mrs. Laura Bunting, all of 338 Washington street, Mr and Mrs. Donald Mowrey, and daughter, Donna, Royersford, and Mr. and Mrs Henry Tyson, Exton.

Helping to celebrate in California were Mr. and Mrs Horace Mowrey and children Gail and Sandra

# $400,000 Damage Suit Filed by Maria Montez

LOS ANGELES Feb 4 (AP)—Film Actress Maria Montez filed suit for $400 000 today against Producer Charles R Rogers claiming he failed to star her in a movie as provided in a contract

Miss Montez contends that under a contract signed July 25 1946, she was to have been paid $100,000 and starred in "The Scarlet Feather"

She said a story known as "The Queen of Hearts" later was substituted and production was to have started the past Dec 8 but did not.

The actress seeks $100,000 in pay and $300,000 for loss of time, damaged to her career and her share in profits of the proposed production.

# Negro at University of Arkansas

**Silas Hunt (second from right), 25, of Texarkana, will be admitted to the University of Arkansas law school at Fayetteville, if he completes enrollment Dr. Robert Leflar (right), law school dean, talks with Hunt, Wiley Branton (left), and Attorney Harold Flowers (second from left), both of Pine Bluff, Ark. Branton discussed possibility of enrolling as an undergraduate, but only Negro graduate students are to be admitted. If Hunt is enrolled, he will attend classes separately from whites.**

# ST. PETERS

**Mrs. Eva Strock, corr. Charles Orrs delivery.**

Mr. and Mrs Bruce Ibach and son, Bobby, visited Mr and Mrs Corolin Strock and family

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Portee visited Mr and Mrs Elmer Dampman and family

Mr and Mrs Charles Bilharz and son, Danny, spent a day in Philadelphia.

Walter J Devine left for his new residence after visiting his sister, Mrs John Strock and family

Mrs J L Trego and son have returned to their home from the Chester county hospital, West Chester.

Mrs. Richard Herman and son, Richard, visited Mrs. Jess Buckwalter.

Mr and Mrs William Zerby and daughter, Linda, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yoder and family

Visitors entertained in the home of Mr and Mrs Taylor Strock were Mr. and Mrs David Wambold and son, David Mrs Ada Ream and Mrs Margaret Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mayberry Jr spent the past weekend in Pottstown.

James Hallman visited Gary Spohn recently.

Miss Shirley Fries spent the weekend with Miss Mary Fern.

# Cure for Hiccups— Get Hit by Automobile

HOUSTON, Tex Feb 4 (AP)—Mrs Mabel Boling, 33 of Houston, found a cure of the hiccups but she isn't recommending its application.

Mrs Boling was nursing a case of hiccups as she sat in her automobile at a service station last night when two cars collided in the street

One of them swerved into the station, hit a gasoline pump, knocking it over and igniting spilled gasoline; hit a pillar supporting the driveway canopy, the rear of the Bolding car, and the station doorway, breaking a plate glass window

Mrs Bolings hiccups vanished

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## WAR VET DIES —

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Beethoven was his favorite composer.

**His family returned to Pottstown after one year, and he attended Pottstown High school, where he met the girl who was then Miss Elliott. He married her in 1940.**

After working for a few years as an electric welder, first at the Bethlehem Steel plant and then at the Welding Engineer company, Bridgeport, he enlisted in 1944.

While serving in the Field Artillery with the 43d Division, he contracted malaria. He was hospitalized several times in the Pacific, last in Japan where he served with the Army of Occupation.

After his discharge, he and his wife and baby went to Petersburg, Va., where he conducted a tourist home while attending a business school.

The malaria recurred there and he went to McGuire General hospital in nearby Richmond. In October he was transferred to the Philadelphia hospital. The malaria settled in the spleen, causing leukemia, and for the past few months his condition was so grave he was unable to follow his hobby of listening to classical music.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

## SNOW SHOVELS —

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in the J. Fegely hardware store, High and York streets

**Its manager, Woodrow W. Kline, said 25 dozen shovels have found their way to the covered sidewalk from the counter there. The figure is double the number sold the past year and amounts to a new sales mark.**

Van Buskirk's hardware store at 218 High street has not sold so many shovels since five years ago and is still doing peak business, Frank Ackerman, the manager, says

Bernath Berger, manager of the Boston Shoe store, 258 High street, said he hasn't seen sales of waterproof footwear so booming in the past 12 years. "It's about 30 percent over normal for men, women and children," he added.

Irving Tubis, operator of the Tubis Shoe store, 253 High street, concurred with the 30 percent figure and added that 1941 was the last time sales equalled this year's.

The increased demand ties in with the greater supply in the opinion of Norman Cohen, who works for his father in the Royal Shoe store, 268 High street. Regardless, though, he admitted that the turnover in wet weather goods reached a seven-year peak this Winter.

## SNOWSTORM HITS —

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companying it, utility companies reported no trouble yesterday.

Telephone and electric service was unimpaired throughout the borough, and the fire alarm and police call boxes were in a state of readiness with no wires bowed or blown down.

Buses of the Pottstown Rapid Transit company were delayed on most runs, but were within five or ten minutes of their schedules.

Vehicles of the Murphy Lines, traveling on roads outside the borough, ran into more difficulty, and although no scheduled runs were canceled, waits of more than 20 minutes were reported.

**The Reading Railroad company reported that all trains were running normally, with no delays due to the snow. Buses of the company, however, met with traffic troubles, and the Philadelphia - Pottsville bus, due here at 3:45 p. m., still had not arrived at 6 p. m.**

The prospect of completely closed roads appeared remote last night. State plows had cleared the main highways, although State police warned motorists to use chains, adding that travel was "very light." The low volume of traffic combined with Winter caution to keep the accident rate down.

Rural roads in many areas, however, offered more difficulties to motorists.

Some country roads around Schwenkville were reported to be narrowed down to one lane, while the worst spots in the area were around Frederick, Niantic, and Huff's church.

Snow one and one-half times the height of an automobile piled up in the Frederick-Niantic sector, since past snows had been pushed to the sides of the road and had not yet melted, and residents wondered where the new fall would be put.

Push-plows were out in Boyertown, as well as in Royersford and Spring City, and the main streets in those towns, as well as in Pottstown, assumed a normal appearance soon after the heavy snow stopped, at 4:15 p. m.

**Only one spot on Route 83, near Devon, was blocked by a traffic jam, as motorists stayed off the highways whenever possible.**

In the only accident reported by Boyertown police, a sedan driven by William I. Miller, of Frederick, skidded into a coupe driven by Cora Davidheiser, 131 North Reading avenue, Boyertown, at 4:15 p. m.

Both drivers were going west on East Philadelphia avenue, preparatory to making a right turn into the other street. Miss Davidheiser stopped for a truck parked on North Reading avenue, and Miller's car, which had no chains, skidded into the rear of her car.

Damage, largely to the front of Miller's car, totaled about $25. Patrolman Grant M. Groff investigated.

Pottstown Borough Manager Dow I. Sears had a single good word for the snow. "The only thing it's good for is to keep the frost from going further into the ground," he commented drily.

That frost, which had caused a number of water pipe breaks in the past week, continued to play havoc with the cast iron carriers.

**A 20-inch main developed a hair-crack around the top on West King street near Gable avenue early yesterday morning, and although the leak was small the water had to be shut off in the area all day.**

Twelve homes in the neighborhood were affected, and the Robinson Clay Products company was forced to fall back upon its 15,000-gallon reserve.

Plant officials said that their private water supply would hold out until noon today, when it is hoped that the pipe will be repaired.

Sears said that a 1000 - pound sleeve would have to be fitted over the water pipe.

Last night a minor leak developed at Cherry and Charlotte streets, but the supply was not shut off and the seepage was considered not serious enough to warrant working on during the night.

Snow removal, under the direction of Highway Superintendent W. Earl Potteiger, began at 10 a. m., as soon as it was apparent that the borough was in for one more real storm.

**"We hired everything in sight to help clear the snow away," Sears declared. Equipment included a "scoopmobile," a portable, mechanical shovel; two bulldozers, one of which was expected to arrive today; three borough trucks and the borough push-plow.**

The plow was used only in outlying roads, since to use it on main streets would only have piled the snow along the curbs where it would have been a greater hindrance.

On High street the removal crews cleared away snow up to the curb lines, as police co-operated by keeping stretches of parking meters cleared of automobiles, giving the workers an opportunity to work.

Although nearly 20 men were out attacking the rapidly piling snow drifts, the borough sent out an appeal for still more help. Eighty cents an hour is the pay, it was announced, and from the looks of yesterday's storm, work should be steady for at least a week.

The snow removal program already has taken a $2000 bite out of the borough's estimate of $4000 for the job this year, and if the Winter continues unusually severe, Sears pointed out, money from some other phase of highway work will have to be used for snow clearance.

For comparison, last year's cost of removal was $2931.12.

**Among the casualties of the storm were meetings of a number of womens' clubs scheduled for tonight. They have been postponed because of transportation difficulties.**

Although local plants operating with a night shift reported that many workers were several minutes late because of bad driving or late buses, they said there was only a little more absenteeism than usual.

In at least one plant—Stanley G. Flagg and company, at Stowe—the day shift was sent home an hour early so that workers would not be confronted with unstartable cars or dangerous walking conditions when leaving the gates.

### IRAQ REJECTS TREATY

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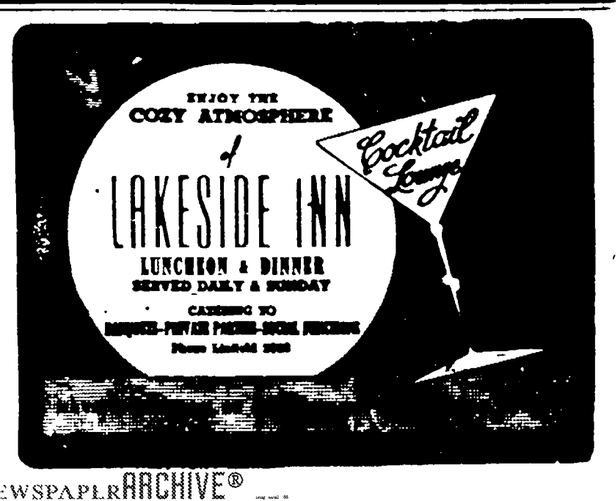


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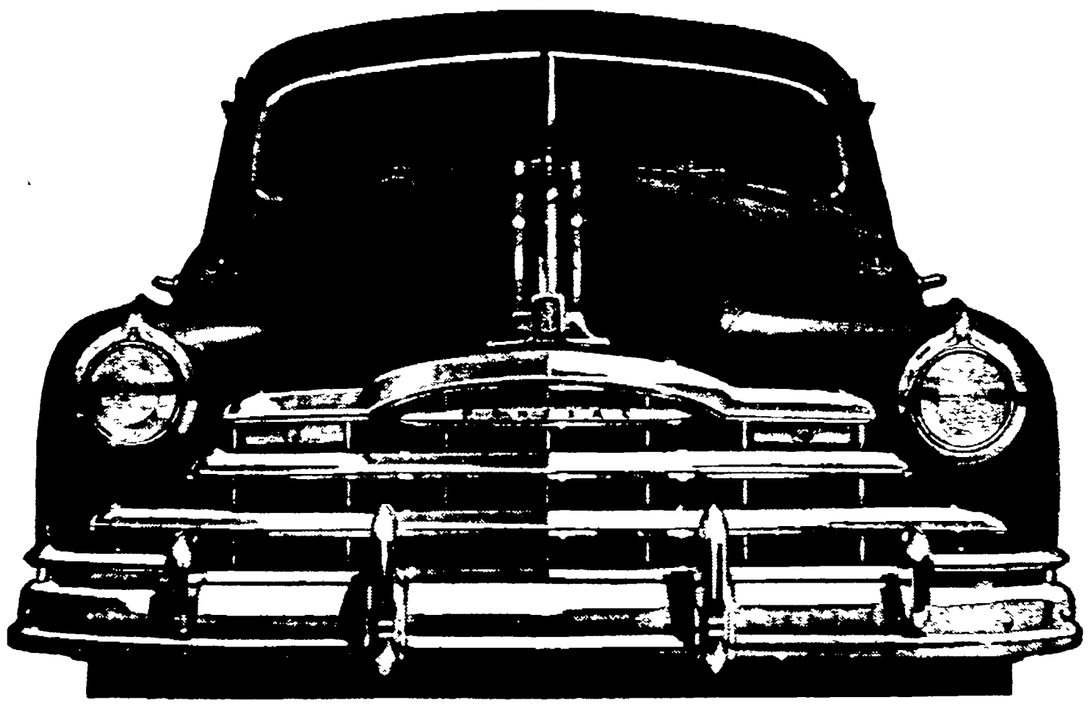
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HARRISBURG, Feb 4 (AP)—The Commonwealth is investigating six sites for the possible construction of small dams to prevent future floods in Pennsylvania.

Secretary M. P. Draemel of the Department of Forests and Waters and chairman of the State's new Flood Control commission, said the sites are divided among the western, central and eastern sections of the state. He declined, however, to disclose the exact locations.

Draemel made his announcement at the conclusion of a closed session of the Flood Control commission. Named by Gov. James H. Duff the past November, the commission met to organize and review its duties.

## Slander Suit Against Dilworth Withdrawn

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4 (AP) — Deputy Sheriff Erwine Moss today withdrew a slander suit he filed against Richardson Dilworth, Democratic candidate for mayor in the past Falls election.

Moss, in a formal statement, said "I have withdrawn the action in slander which I commenced against Richardson Dilworth as a result of his unfounded campaign charge against me since it appears that while untrue, it was made in good faith."

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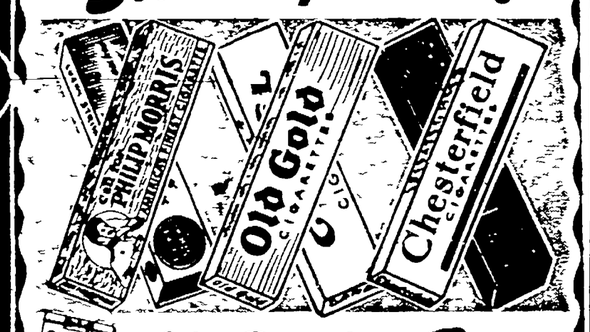


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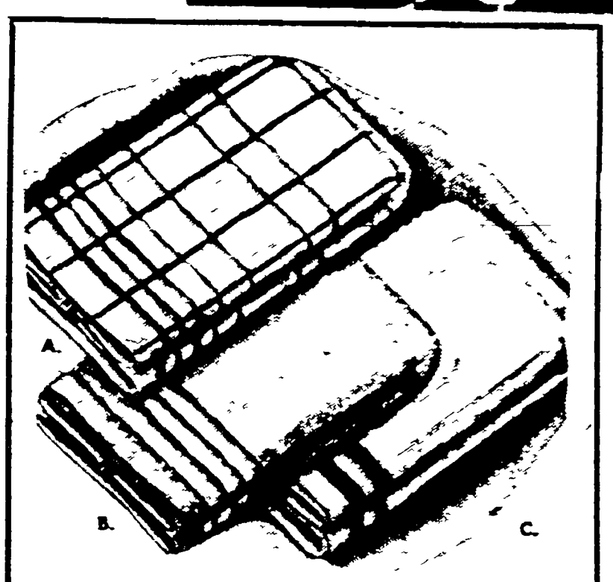

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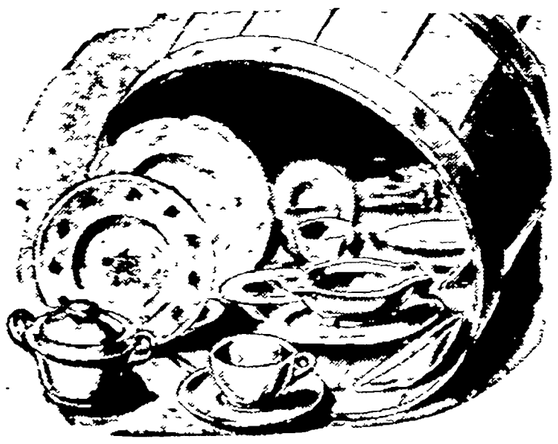

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## Dam Sites Sought To Curb State's Floods

HARRISBURG, Feb 4 (AP)—The Commonwealth is investigating six sites for the possible construction of small dams to prevent future floods in Pennsylvania.

Secretary M. P. Draemel of the Department of Forests and Waters and chairman of the State's new Flood Control commission, said the sites are divided among the western, central and eastern sections of the state. He declined, however, to disclose the exact locations.

Draemel made his announcement at the conclusion of a closed session of the Flood Control commission. Named by Gov James H. Duff the past November, the commission met to organize and review its duties.

## Slander Suit Against Dilworth Withdrawn

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 4 (AP) — Deputy Sheriff Erwine Moss today withdrew a slander suit he filed against Richardson Dilworth, Democratic candidate for mayor in the past Fall's election.

Moss, in a formal statement, said "I have withdrawn the action in slander which I commenced against Richardson Dilworth as a result of his unfounded campaign charge against me since it appears that while untrue, it was made in good faith."

**SCIENTIST SUCCUMBS**

CLAREMONT, Calif., Feb 4 (AP)—Dr. George W Hunter II, 74, lecturer at Claremont graduate school since 1930 and author of numerous scientific works, died today after a heart attack.


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**TREASURY STATEMENT**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—The position of the Treasury Feb. 2: Receipts $104,623,490.09, expenditures $42,244,206.33, balance $3,039,613,178.22; total debt $254,927,478,593.82; decrease under previous day $1,723,135,442.59.


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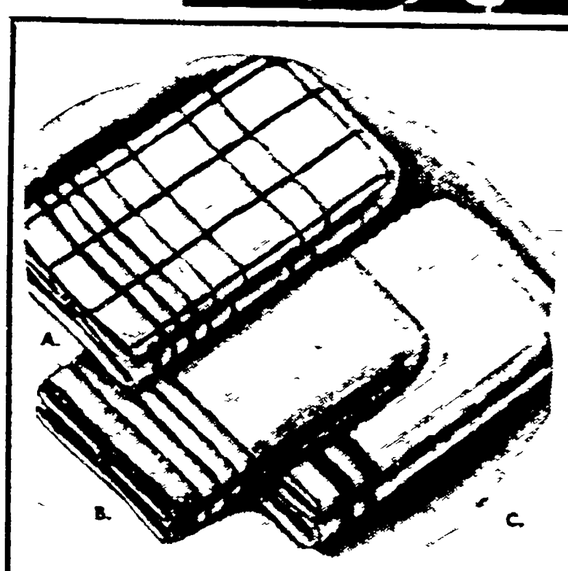

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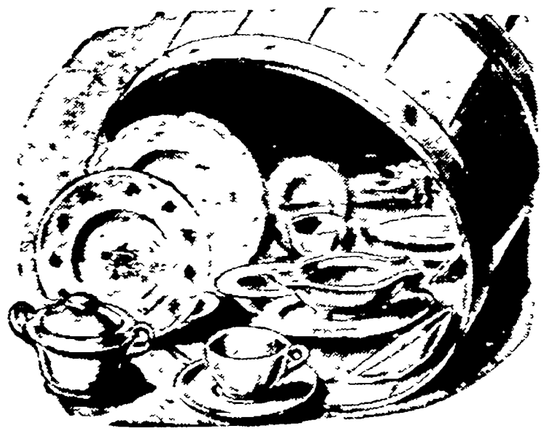

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## Lord Derby, Sportsman, Dies in England at 82

PRESCOTT, England, Feb. 4 (AP)—The Earl of Derby, 82, former cabinet minister and one of the world's prominent sportsmen, died in his sleep at his country home here today.

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J. FRANK MAST, 72, husband of Bessie F. (McEwen) Mast, of POTTSTOWN RD 2, died at 7:20 o'clock last night at his home. He had been bedfast since suffering a stroke seven months ago.

A native of Birdsboro and son of the late Daniel and Hannah (Summons) Mast, he lived in Elverson RD for most of his life where he was a farmer.

Six years ago he sold his farm and moved to Pottstown RD 2. Mr. Mast worked for nearly one year at the Pottstown Manufacturing company before ill health forced his retirement.

He was a member of Pottstown Lodge 369, Loyal Order of Moose, and Morgantown Lodge 414, Knights of Malta.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Annie L., wife of Frank Kulp, Pottstown RD 2; a son, Daniel, at home; a sister, Essie, widow of Robert Honl, Elverson RD 2, and three grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

MRS. ANNA LAUME, 46, wife of John Laume, SCHWENKVILLE RD, died at her home yesterday morning, following an illness.

Surviving besides her husband are a son, Elwood, Delphi; a daughter, Dorothy A., at home; her mother, Marian Lauck, Philadelphia; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Babbit, Philadelphia, and Mrs. Marie Vebedies, Maple Shade, N. J., and a brother, Gustav Lauck, Philadelphia.

Funeral services will be conducted in a funeral home at 21 Main street, Trappe, Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with interment in Ferbwood cemetery, Philadelphia.

EDWINNA E. DeHAVEN, four-months-old daughter of Edwin and Thelma (Strock) DeHaven, ELVERSON RD 1, died suddenly at her home yesterday morning.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by two sisters, Thelma and Betty, at home.

Services will be held from a funeral home in Honey Brook at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Interment will be made in St. Mark's Episcopal cemetery.

Funeral services for BERTHA (GORDON) JOHNSON, wife of Charles Johnson, of 726 BEECH STREET, REAR, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Second Baptist church.

Officiating was the Rev. Heywood L. Butler, pastor. Interment was made in Second Baptist cemetery.

Bearers were Percy Ricketts, Raymond J. Linthicum, Everett Jefferies, Charles Prince, Lynn Banks, Oscar White, William Elliott and Jesse Smith Sr.

Flower bearers were Constance Oliver, Geraldine Young, Bertha Jackson, Maude Hudson, Sarah Hespeth, Gwendolyn Jackson, Susie Durdin and Samuel Williams.

Funeral services for PETER FRANKLIN OLLIE, husband of the late Mary (Comin) Ollie, of 228 SOUTH STREET, were held yesterday morning at 9 o'clock from a funeral home at 404 High street.

Solemn high requiem mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock in St. Peter's Catholic church with the Rev. John A. Naja, rector, as celebrant; the Rev. Francis Suchanek, rector of St. Gabriel's Catholic church, Stowe, as deacon and the Rev. Harry Krzesinski, Phoenixville, as sub-deacon.

Interment was made in St. Aloysius New cemetery.

Funeral services for PHILLIP F. KEELY, husband of Mary (Ruth) Keely, of SCHWENKVILLE, were held yesterday afternoon from his home at the convenience of the family.

The Rev Darwin N Gass, pastor of Heidelberg Reformed church, Schwenksville, officiated, and interment was made in Keely's cemetery.

Bearers were members of the crew of the Montgomery county highway department with whom Mr. Keely had worked.

Private interment services for MARILYN and MARGARET FISHER, infant twin daughters of Paul Kenneth and Mary (Bause) Fisher, of 225 PENN STREET, were held yesterday in Pottstown West End cemetery.


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Vaughn Monroe—(Vi. 20-2671)

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"The Gentleman Is a Dope"
Jo Stafford—(Cap. 15007)

"If I Only Had a Match"
"But Beautiful"
Frank Sinatra—(Col. 38053)

"Passing Fancy"
"In a Little Book Shop"
Vaughn Monroe—(Vi. 20-2573)

"Put Yourself in My Place Baby"
"Two Loves Have I"
Frankie Laine—(Mer. 5064)

DANCE RECORDS

"Those Things Money Can't Buy"
"Now He Tells Me"
The King Cole Trio—(Cap. 15011)

"Come Back to Sorrento"
"For Once in Your Life"
Vic Damone—(Mer. 5065)

"The Song Is Ended"
"Do You or Don't You Love Me?"
Nellie Lutcher—(Cap. 40063)

"Since I Fell For You"
"You Can Depend on Me"
Dinah Washington—(Mer. 8057)

"Lone Star Moon"
"Oklahoma City"
Tex Beneke—(Vi. 20-2566)

"Hey! Stop Kissin' My Sister"
"Tonight You Belong to Me"
Viola Watkins—(Super 1052)

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Al Jolson—(Decc. 24296)

"My Promise to You"
"Tell Me a Story"
Frankie Carle—(Col. 38050)

"It's All Over But the Crying"
"I'll Make Up for Everything"
Ink Spots—(Dec. 24286)

"Trouble Is a Man"
"I Feel So Smoochie"
Sarah Vaughan—(Mus. 533)

"Harmony"
"Save the Bones for Henry Jones"
Johnny Mercer—(Cap. 15000)

"So Far"
"A Fellow Needs a Girl"
Frank Sinatra—(Col. 37883)

"Mean and Evil Blues"
"Fool That I Am"
Dinah Washington—(Mer. 8059)

"It Had to Be You"
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Buddy Clark—(Col. 38040)

"I'll Dance at Your Wedding"
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"When You Wore a Tulip"
Ferko String Band—(Palda 101)

"My Little Girl"
"Beer Barrel Polka"
Quaker City String Band—(Lind. 101)

"I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover"
"Heart of My Heart"
Ferko String Band—(Palda 110)

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"You Only Want Me When You're Lonely"
"I Wish I Had Never Met Sunshine"
Gene Autry—(Col. 36970)

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Miss Clara Gehman, corr. Phone Bally 43-R-3 Richard Schell, delivery.

Francis Campbell, who was a patient in the Allentown hospital, Allentown, returned to his home the past week.

The funeral of Della Bauer, widow of the late Irvin Bauer, of New York, was held at the Hereford Mennonite church here recently with the Rev. Wilmer Shelly officiating. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bitting and Miss Dorothy Brogley moved into the newly-built home of Mr. Bitting in Pennsburg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moyer and children Louise and John Jr., were Sunday guests of his sister, Mrs. Noah Gehman and family.


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## Here's Something to Bark About

Quite serious is Pop "Brownie," 6-year-old dachshund, as he gets his first look at the litter of 11 puppies which he fathered. "Angelina," 3, is unconcerned as she feeds them in a New York kennel.

## Bradley Due to Take New Post Saturday

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Gen. Omar N. Bradley will take over on Saturday as Army chief of staff, succeeding Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, an authoritative source said today.

Before taking office as president of Columbia university in June, Gen. Eisenhower expects to spend a short vacation at Hot Springs, Ark.

Bradley, who commanded American ground forces in the Normandy invasion, served as Veterans administrator after coming home from the war.

## SASSAMANSVILLE-CONGO

Robert Renninger, delivery. Phone Sassamansville 14-R-21.

Mr. William Janos is a patient in the Taylor hospital at Ridley Park, Philadelphia.

John Renninger and Wright Renninger are on the sick list.

LeRoy D. Steltz was discharged from the Memorial hospital recently.

The following visitors were with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Steltz, recently: Mr. and Mrs. George Stauffer, of Boyertown; Mrs. Maggie Stauffer, Mrs. Mahlan Trout, of Pottstown; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bauer and children, David and Lois of Boyertown; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Wise, Mrs. Emma Stauffer, Miss Pauline Stauffer, Miss Grace Kolb, Miss Pauline Stauffer and Mr. Willard Kolb, all of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Bowman visited his sisters, the Misses Mable and Bessie Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Renninger became the parents of a son the past week.

Mr. Frank Saylor is a patient at the Pottstown hospital.

The Boy Scouts Troop 1 of Sassamansville met at the home of their scout master, LeRoy D. Steltz recently.

The Boy Scouts collected two and a half tons of paper recently.

## WEAVERTOWN

Mrs. Daniel Madeira, corr. Phone Birdsboro 2-4023. Ralph Trainer, delivery

Mrs. Catharine Casner, Mrs. Catharine McMullen, Mrs. Ida Trainer, Mrs. Hazel Rhoads, Miss Florence Ludwig and Mrs. Florence Wise, elementary teachers of the Amity consolidated school, attended a speech clinic held in the Boyertown High school.

Mr. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gilbert, Brice and Barbara Gilbert, Chester Gieger, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rhoads and Mrs. Daniel Madeira attended the annual meeting and banquet of the Daniel Boone Boy Scout council held in Reading.

Miss Mildred Lenhart, of Gilbertsville, visited Mrs. Daniel Madeira.

Russell Prinzinger, a senior of the Amity High school, will be on the Junior Town Meeting of the Air this week. The question to be discussed is "Should the Springfield Plan be Adopted in Berks County?"

Five kinds of cockroaches are found frequently in American homes.

## Heavy Irish Vote May Bring Ousting Of Prime Minister

DUBLIN, Feb. 4 (AP)—The Irish in great numbers voted today for a new parliament. The dominant issue was whether to oust Prime Minister Eamon de Valera from the power he has held for 16 years.

Many politicians saw in the unusually heavy vote a sign that the Fianna Fail leader may lose his majority. De Valera has declared he will resign if his party fails to secure the 74 seats necessary for a majority. He has declared he would refuse to form a coalition government with other parties.

Conclusive results are not expected before Friday. The complicated count under the proportional representation system will start tomorrow.

The chief threat to De Valera is Sean MacBride's year - old Clann Na Poblachta (Republican party.) Government leaders acknowledge the threat is potent. MacBride has drawn considerable old time Fianna Fail supporters to his Republican banner.

De Valera's resignation would open the way for a coalition of the Republicans, Gen. Richard Mulcahy's conservative Fine Gael and other minority parties.

Fine Gael, with 23 seats, was De Valera's chief opposition in the old parliament (Dail.) MacBride's Republicans have only two seats at present. Both Republicans were elected in surprising upsets of Fianna Fail candidates in bye elections the past November. De Valera called the general election after the two defeats. Rising cost of living and industrial unrest have contributed to his troubles.

Fianna Fail held 77 seats in the old parliament of 138 members. The new legislature has been expanded to 147 seats.

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## Delaware Teacher Added to Staff at West Pottsgrove

Miss Virginia Raughley, of Dover, Del., will become the second permanent teacher in a week to begin work at the West Pottsgrove township school when she takes over the position of physical education instructor for girls Monday.

The other instructor was William J. Sullivan, of Boston, Allegheny county, who started as teacher of industrial arts the past Monday. Sullivan replaced Edward Donohue, who left West Pottsgrove Jan. 27 for a position at Media High school, while Miss Raughley fills the position vacated the past November by Mrs. Mary Kneebel.

**Sullivan was graduated from the California State Teachers college Jan. 16 and his first position is at West Pottsgrove.**

Miss Raughley was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with a bachelor's degree in education the past Summer. This Saturday she will receive her master's degree in the same field.

Both appointments were approved by the West Pottsgrove school board at their meeting Jan. 29.

## PARKERFORD

Gladys M. Kugler, corr. Phone Linfield 2591 Lile McDonald, del. Phone Potts. 2324.

The monthly hymn sing of the four churches of the community was held at the Parkerford Baptist church recently. Congregational hymn singing was led by the Rev. Earle Marcus, Kenneth Shellenberger and Robert Pennypacker. An anthem was given by the Baptist choir and a violin solo by S. Rowland Lewis. The next hymn sing will be held in the Parkerford Brethren church, March 7.

Mrs. Faye Lewis celebrated her birthday anniversary the past Monday.

Jacob and Ambrose Malenke spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ambrose Malenke The boys are students at Williamson Trade school, Delaware county.

Miss Betty M. Baringer, music instructor at the East Coventry school, is recuperating at her home in Ephrata following a fall which fractured her ankle.

Mrs. Edna Edwards, of Spring City, and Mrs. Harold Mauger and daughters, Dawn and Sandra, of Boyertown, visited Mrs. Mary C. Smith recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dixon and daughter, Carol, of Hagerstown, Md., spent several days visiting Mrs. Dixon's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Alvin S. Alderfer.

Miss Rose Ella Kugler spent the weekend visiting Miss Barbara Eliot.

Miss Ruth Strohm, Alice and Gladys Kugler Mr. John Simon and Mr. William Fryer of the Parkerford Brethren church attended the annual Chester County Christian Endeavor banquet held at the Coatesville Presbyterian church recently.

The basketball team of the East Coventry school was defeated by the East Pikeland school's team recently. The Junior varsity lost by a score of 15-14 and the varsity team was topped by the score of 35-12.

Mr. Benjamin Alley, of Philadelphia, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. Rowland Lewis and family. Mr. Alley is a brother of Mrs. Lewis.

Miss Evelyn Moyer, a student at Ursinus college, returned to school after having spent her midyear vacation at home.

**CENSOR BOARD URGED**

BOSTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—A state board of censorship for all types of entertainment to prevent a future 'race of moral degenerates' was sought today.

## Survives Stabbing

Ten-day-old Kerry Richard Harper is held by nurse Adella Smith at Chambersburg, after the baby was stabbed by a two-inch safety pin by his mother, police said. The stabbing occurred in a hospital. The mother was moved to a jail cell. She gave no reason for the stabbing.

**COMPOSER DIES**

HOLLYWOOD, Feb 4 (AP) — J Keirn Brennan, 74, who composed "Little Bit of Heaven," "Let the Rest of the World Go By," "Empty Saddles," and many other song hits, died today after a lingering illness

Many ancient structures of Europe have copper roofs hundreds of years old

## Strike Right Voted By Rubber Workers

Only nine out 1363 members of Local 633, United Rubber Workers of America yesterday voted against delegating power to the executive board to call a strike any time after March 3 should contract negotiations fail before that time.

Union spokesmen say the snag in negotiations may be over the union's efforts to make the coming contract on a company-wide basis.

Robert E. Garber, local treasurer, said all seven locals of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company will hold similar strike votes this week.

Garber and Stephen Dujack, local president, will go to Cleveland tomorrow for two meetings — one, of the Firestone locals to plan for the company-wide contract, the other, of all rubber workers locals to set uniform wage demands for the coming year.

Tellers at yesterday's vote were Eugene Morselander, Moreau Rau and Paul Karpinski.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP) — The Freedom train will be overhauled and repainted in San Bernardino, Calif., from March 1 to 9 as a "double precaution" for the safety of historic American documents it carries.

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## ANTI-MOSLEM UNIT OUTLAWED; ARRESTS BEGIN

### Government Roundup Of RSSS Members Expected to Reach 800

NEW DELHI, Feb. 4 (AP)—The government outlawed the RSSS tonight and began one of India's greatest manhunts for conspirators in the assassination of Mohandas Gandhi.

A communique said the RSSS' "Cult of violence has claimed many victims, latest and most precious being Gandhi himself." RSSS stands for Rashtriya Swayam Sevak Sangh (national volunteer corps.)

High police officials said a mass roundup of persons prominent in RSSS and another militant Hindu organization, Mahasabha, already had begun. They estimated that 700 or 800 would be arrested throughout the country. Estimates of the number already seized ranged from 300 to 500.

Delhi police arrested more than 200 in raids beginning before dawn.

**Naravan Vinayak Godse, held as Gandhi's assassin, was believed to have made statements implicating a number of persons.**

Police were particularly active in Bombay province, stronghold of the RSSS, and at Nagpur, its headquarters.

Tanks and troops in force marched through Delhi's streets as the roundup proceeded.

The RSSS advocates driving all Moslems out of India and making the country all-Hindu.

"Iron Man" Sardar Villabhai Patel, home minister and outspoken against Moslems, issued the communique announcing the organization henceforth was illegal.

The statement declared RSSS members "have indulged in acts of violence involving arson, robbery, dacoity, (robbery by gangs) murder." It said they had engaged in collecting alms, exhorting the people to terroristic methods, and in attempting to enlist police and the military in their criminal activities.

## Russian Statistics Missing From U. N. Economic Report

LAKE SUCCESS, Feb. 4 (AP)—The United Nations published its first big survey on world economic conditions tonight, but important data on Russia was conspicuously lacking.

The 257-page report compiled by the U. N. department of economic affairs contained these major conclusions:

1. Food shortage continued to be the world's top economic problem.

2. The United States is the only big power exporting more goods than it is importing.

3. Inflationary price movements threaten to "destroy the progress already achieved" in European recovery.

4. "Concerted national actions" are needed to keep down prices of goods going into foreign trade.

The study was made under the general supervision of David Owen, of Britain, an assistant secretary-general of the U.N. David Weintraub of the United States, director of the U.N. division of economic stability and development, was directly in charge.

One of the major difficulties in world recovery, the report said, was the "dollar crisis." It was this "crisis" which led to the Marshall plan.

This situation, the report said, has made "external aid" from the United States "a major issue" in 1948.

The report, in addition to dealing with economic problems on a worldwide basis, also surveyed regional problems in Latin America, Asia, Europe, and the Middle East.

## Attlee Asks England Freeze Wages And Profits to Battle Inflation

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Prime Minister Attlee called today for the freezing of profits and wages to combat spiraling prices.

He urged the freeze on a voluntary basis and under the honor system, but with it went a threat to use wartime powers of price control if inflation goes unchecked.

CLEMENT ATTLEE

The prime minister risked the ire of the trade unions—the backbone of his Labor party—in his call for self sacrifice by all classes of British society, wage earners as well as employers. The appeal was contained in a white paper, published by the government and read by Attlee in the House of Commons.

**On behalf of economically ill Britain, he asked for a general freeze on individual incomes, not only to combat increasing prices but to woo export trade.**

His appeal was as a reaffirmation with added emphasis of the Labor party's year-old declaration that Britain must tighten its belt at home while rebuilding its economy.

I came against the background of cold, hard evidence that Britain's economy has bumped into tough troubles. Yesterday the chancellor of the exchequer reported that the purchasing power of the pound had declined to 38 percent of its 1914 value.

Attlee did not mention it, but it appeared likely that French devaluation of the franc was a contributing factor in today's move. Britain, desperate for dollars, must compete for export trade with markets changing slowly from the sellers' to the buyers' advantage.

## Air Line Proposes Neutral Arbitrator

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 4 (AP)—An offer to accept a neutral arbitrator was made today by National airlines as full impact of the pilots' strike paralyzed the system.

J. C. Christie, national representative of the Air Lines Pilots Association (AFL) arrived here today from Chicago and was notified by the company that it would agree to submit strike issues to a referee appointed by the national mediation board.

## HOME ACCIDENTS TOP '47 KILLER

### Auto Accidents Second; 100,000 Persons Dead From Mishaps in Year

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 (AP)—Accidents hit the United States a more crippling blow in 1947 than the atomic bomb inflicted on Hiroshima.

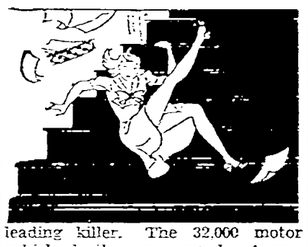
The accidents tally shows:

Killed — 100,000 (compared with Hiroshima's 78,150).

Injured — 10,500,000 (equal to the combined populations of New York City and Chicago).

The cost — $6,700,000,000 (greater than the income tax slash proposed in the Knutson bill before Congress).

Home accidents, which kill 33,500, deposed traffic accidents as the



leading killer. The 32,000 motor vehicle deaths represented a 4 percent drop from 1946. Home accidents gained 3 percent over the preceding year.

The national safety council, which compiled the figures, said the total 1947 accident death toll gained 2 percent over 1946, with all classifications showing increases except traffic and military personnel.

Catastrophies, each taking five or more lives, killed 2100. The major ones were the Texas City explosion, the Texas-Oklahoma tornado, the Centralia, Ill., mine explosion and the Gulf Coast hurricane.

## South May Hold Out Party Contributions Over Racial Issue

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Dixie Democrats may hold out on their contributions to the party's campaign funds, two Southern Senators indicated tonight. They posed this new threat to party harmony as the rebellion mounted against President Truman's Civil rights program.

Senators McClellan (D-Ark) suggested that proceeds of the Jackson Day dinner at Little Rock Feb. 16 be "frozen" until "we get some satisfaction out of the national committee."

McClellan told a reporter he discussed the "freeze" proposal with Gov. Ben Lamey, of Arkansas and that "he joined me in my view."

Senator Ellender (D-La) also told a reporter that the President's policy "Is sure to have considerable effect on the amount of contributions." He added that an affect has been noted already "and it is not very encouraging to say the least."

The policy laid down by President Truman Monday called for Congress to enact Federal laws against lynching and against discrimination in voting or employment on grounds of race, creed or color.

## *Administration to Launch Voluntary Rationing Program*

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—The government prepared today to launch a sweeping food rationing campaign on a voluntary basis.

Representatives of 18 consumer, producer and distributor groups will meet tomorrow with Secretary of Agriculture Anderson to map details of the nation-wide program.

With Congress apparently determined not to grant President Truman's request for further legal powers to enforce anti-inflation measures, the administration plans to seek greater public support for an intensified voluntary drive to curb the cost of living.

**Charles F. Brannan, assistant secretary of agriculture, will head the new food saving campaign. Originally started by the Citizens Food Committee the past Fall, it has been carried on until now under the direct leadership of the cabinet food committee.**

Although no details of the new drive have been revealed, it is understood major emphasis will be placed on meat. But other items in the housewife's food budget are expected to be covered in the voluntary program.

The self-imposed rationing program to be drawn up tomorrow will be based on the specific recommendations of the industry and public representative. It is designed to meet the twin problem of scarce food supplies and high prices.

## Marshall to Ask Additional Billion For Foreign Spending

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall was reported ready today to ask another billion dollars or so for foreign spending.

And Marshall himself said further military aid to Turkey and Greece is being considered by the State department.

Senator George (D-Ga) of the foreign relations committee said he had been informed that about one billion dollars would be asked for aid to China and for occupation costs in Germany, Austria, Japan and Korea.

This extra request, on top of the $6,800,000,000 Marshall is asking for his European recovery program, would raise foreign spending proposals to nearly $8,000,000,000.

## *Ex-Bund Leader Escapes German Internment Camp*

MUNICH, Germany, Feb. 4 (AP)—Fritz Kuhn, deported former leader of the German-American bund, escaped Tuesday under mysterious circumstances from the Dachau interment camp.

Police searched southern Germany for Kuhn, who was being held by Bavarian denazification authorities for possible trial as a Nazi.

No one seemed to know how he got out of the German-operated prison camp. Prison inmates were the first to report his disappearance.

Kuhn, whose voice once thundered praise of Adolf Hitler at bund rallies in Madison Square garden, was sentenced to jail in 1939 for grand larceny and forgery involving misappropriation of bund funds.

In 1943 he was deprived of his citizenship. He was ordered deported to Germany in 1945 as an alien enemy "dangerous to the public peace and safety of the United States."

American military government authorities arrested him upon his arrival in Germany, but he was released in April, 1946. The past July he was jailed by the Germans and held for trial as a Nazi offender.

FRITZ KUHN

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## Boyertown Auxiliary Says Hospital Room Newly Refurnished

Complete refurnishing of the Boyertown Auxiliary room at the Pottstown hospital was announced at a meeting of the group recently at the home of Mrs. Frank Renninger, 317 West Philadelphia avenue.

The job is completed and the bill was voted paid, it was stated yesterday.

The room, located on the second floor, was repainted in peach and green and was equipped with new blond furniture. New furniture includes a bedroom suit, chairs, lights and fixtures and venetian blinds. The project was started by the local auxiliary the past Fall.

Two new members—Mrs. Daniel Sands, West Philadelphia avenue, and Mrs. Ralph Heyat, New Berlinville—were added to the roll. Present were Mrs. Willis Schultz, Mrs. Arthur Detweiler, Mrs. Laura Johnson, Bessie Park, Mrs. John Grater, Mrs. Elmer Berky, Mrs. Donald Astheimer, Mrs. Edwin Miller, Mrs. Lawrence Kohler, Carrie Lorah, Mrs. Sands, and the hostess, Mrs. Renninger.

## DEATHS - FUNERALS

Funeral services for **WILLIAM G. GILBERT**, of **716 EAST PHILADELPHIA AVENUE, BOYERTOWN**, husband of Lillian (Heimbach) Gilbert, were held yesterday from a Warwick street funeral home. The Rev. William H. Solly, pastor of Swamp-Amity charge, officiated. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown. Bearers were Paul O. Engle, Gilbert Hartman, Willard Bolton, Dr. Ernest Lechner, Robert Gerhart and Franklin Wolfgang.

## Service Wives, Mothers Hold Business Session

Twenty-four members attended a recent meeting of Boyertown Service Wives, Mothers and Sisters in the Legion home.

The women voted a contribution to the March of Dimes. Refreshments consisting of coffee and doughnuts followed the business session.

It was announced that the group will sponsor a doughnut sale on Monday in the Legion home in observance of Fosnacht day on Tuesday. It will begin at 10 a. m

Mrs. Sophie Miller, president, was in charge of the meeting.

## Woman's Club Completes Sewing for Red Cross

Members of the Welfare division of the Woman's club of Boyertown met recently at the home of Mrs. Earl Walt, 418 East Fourth street, and completed some sewing for the American Red Cross.

Mrs. J. Clifford Levengood, chairman, was in charge of the meeting Others present were Mrs. Clifton Schanely, Mrs. W. Jesse Starrett, Mrs. Guy Reinert, Mrs. Charles Trout, Mrs. Albert Mercer Sr., Mrs. Paul Faust, Mrs. Samuel H. Maurer, Mrs. Lamar Smith, Mrs. Harry Reichert, and Mrs I. Ralph March, president of the club.

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED**

Mr. and Mrs. John Albitz, 615 Rhoads avenue, Boyertown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Anna, to Paul C. Stauffer, son of Marvin and the late Genevieve Stauffer, of Bally.

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## MEETINGS

Executive board of Woman's club of Boyertown today at 2 p. m. at home of Mrs. J. Clifford Levengood, 236 East Philadelphia avenue.

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Mission band of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 6:30 o'clock.

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Troop 10, Girl Scouts, tonight at 7 o'clock in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church.

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Combined meeting of Rotary and Lions clubs tonight at 7 o'clock in Boyer Towne inn. Speaker, the Hon. Chester H. Gross, representing Adams, Franklin and York counties, accompanied by the Hon Frederick A Muhlenberg of Berks county congressional district.

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Chapel choir of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 7 o'clock.

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Friendship Hook and Ladder company tonight at 7.30 o'clock in the firehouse.

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Women's guild of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

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Regular meeting of Charles B Yerger Post 471, American Legion, tonight at 8 o'clock in the Legion home.

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Ladies' auxiliary of Gilbertsville Fire company tonight at 8 o'clock in the firehall Covered dish social will follow the business meeting.

## Dedication Reservations Should Be Made Soon

Reservations for the Boyertown Community ambulance dedication on Thursday, Feb. 26, in IOOF hall should be made immediately, it was announced last night by Earl H. Keim, chairman of the event being sponsored by the local Lions club.

Keim said he has numerous requests from out-of-town groups for tickets but he wants to get a reply from local citizens who have received invitations before opening the meeting to other groups Fred W. Smith, president of Lions International, will be main speaker.

## Clyde Wert Named Head Of Brotherhood Group

A local Lutheran Men's Brotherhood was organized at a recent meeting in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church and Clyde Wert, of New Berlinville, was elected president.

Others named to official posts in the organization were Claude A. Croll, vice president; Ralph J. Shollenberger, secretary, and Donald Schanely, treasurer. Twenty-three men were present at the meeting.

## Boyertown Men Fined For Annoying 2 Women

Two Boyertown young men entered pleas of guilty to charges of disorderly conduct preferred by Gloria G Stevenson and Anna Stella Houck, of New Berlinville, and were fined $10 each and costs by Justice of the Peace Earl H. Keim, 133 North Walnut street, after they entered their plea.

They were charged with annoying the women by tooting their auto horn and calling from the street at 1.30 a. m. on Jan. 16.


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## NAA Group Plans Airport Clubhouse

Plans to develop a building at the Boyertown airport into a clubhouse for members of the community flying club to be sponsored by General Carl A. Spaatz chapter, National Aeronautic association, were announced by William C. Stahl, chapter president and airport manager at a recent meeting in Cliff's diner.

The club project will include both indoor and outdoor activities in addition to flying. Trap-shooting is already in operation and installation of a rifle range is contemplated, as well as quoit pits. Table tennis and other indoor games will be installed indoors.

Stahl also explained the method by which members of the community flying club could take advantage of a reduction in the price of learning to fly.

Cpl. William Hall, of the aeronautical accident investigation squad, state police, West Reading barracks, was chief speaker. Daniel Unger, a club member and well-known flyer, showed motion pictures supplied by the NAA and the Civil Aeronautics administration.

The reorganization meeting of the General Spaatz chapter will be held on Tuesday, March 2. Stahl, the president, presided.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Iezzi returned to State College the past Tuesday after spending several days visiting their parents in Boyertown. Mrs. Iezzi is employed in the Penn State library and her husband is a senior student at the college. They reside in Pleasant Gap, a State College suburb.

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Bruce Hangen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Hangen Jr., 429 East Philadelphia avenue, observed his first birthday anniversary the past Monday.

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John R. Mayer, son of Mr and Mrs. Leon E. Mayer, 208 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, has been redeployed to the United States for separation from the Army in Japan, where he was a motor sergeant with the 49th Ordnance Medium Maintenance company, a unit of the Eighth Army in Japan.

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Andrea Louise Matlack, daughter of Ernie and Betty V. (Emes) Matlack, was baptized in Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, the past Sunday by the pastor, the Rev. Harper L. Schneck.


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## Boyertown Brewery To Be Sold March 3 At Public Auction

The Boyertown brewery, 128 East Philadelphia avenue, will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, March 3, at 10 a m, according to an order signed yesterday by Judge Warren K. Hess. The property will be sold subject to two mortgages, and the sale will take place in Court Room 1 at the courthouse, Reading.

Despite a court ruling which recently granted Henry Schaffhauser and Joseph R Dickinson Jr., receivers, permission to borrow $3000 to dispose of beer now on hand, the severe Winter weather has interferred with the sale of the product, it was reported yesterday at the proceedings.

James F. and John E. Marx, attorneys for the receivers, presented the petitions to sell the property yesterday. Attorneys representing the interested parties discussed with the court the proposed sale. A lively discussion followed, including the priority of the liens Agreement was reached by the lawyers that the property be sold subject to the two mortgages and that disposition of the liens and creditor claims be disposed of when the fund from the sale is in court. The sale is subject to confirmation by the court.

## School Patrols Wear New Yellow Raincoats

Elementary school patrol boys appeared at street intersections yesterday in their new official raincoats, during the snow storm. The bright yellow material could be clearly seen even at the height of the snow about 3.30 p. m.


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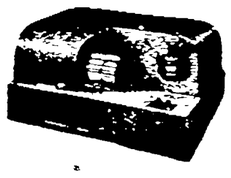

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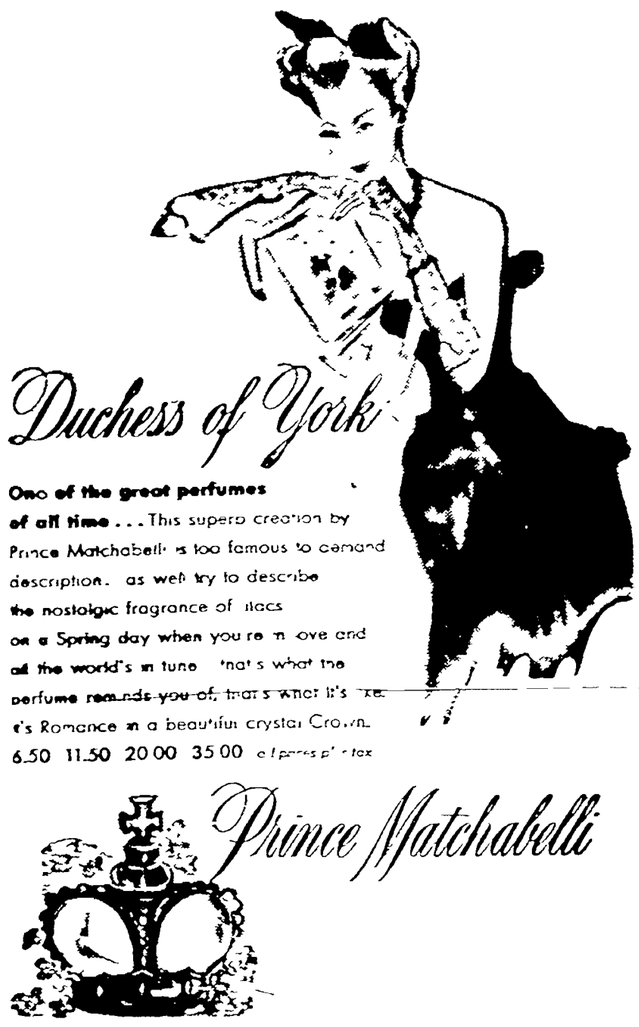


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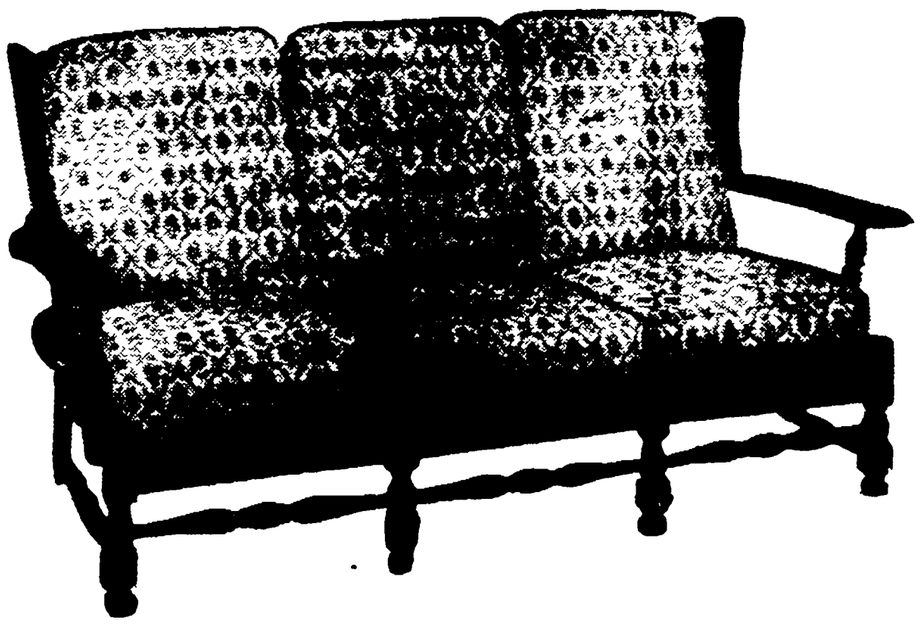

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# Junior Auxiliary of Memorial Hospital Installs Officers at Buffet Supper

Installation of new officers of the Junior Auxiliary of the Memorial hospital was marked by a buffet supper held last night in the club rooms of the Young Women's Christian Association building.

The new officers and members of committees were introduced by Mrs. B. Russell Ash to the 55 members and two guests present. The girls were also reminded of a rummage sale to take place on April 22 and 23.

Plans for resuming the Spring dance were made and it was announced that the committees and the place would be publicized at a later date.

New members attending the supper were Mrs Isabelle Sutton, Mrs. Richard C. Haury, Mrs. Douglass Binder, Mrs Paul Atkins, Mrs Edwin L. Smith, Mrs Rostland Gould, Miss Nancy Schmearer and Mrs. Charles Gulkanoff.

Officers installed were Mrs Ash, president; Mrs. Leo Saettele, vice president; Mrs. Joseph Lynch, second vice president; Mrs Ernest Pickard, recording secretary; Mrs. Harold Spohn, corresponding secretary; Mrs Robert Boarman, financial secretary; Mrs Helen Evans Palmer, treasurer, and Mrs George Haroerger, parliamentarian. Other members elected to the executive committee are Mrs. Richard Stamm, Mrs. Robert MacPhail, Mrs. Ira Tate, Mrs. Charles Treleven, Mrs Caesar Sarni, Mrs George A. Lessig, Mrs. Thomas Storm, Mrs Kenneth Nichols, Mrs Paul Salley, Mrs George Berman, Mrs William O'Donnell, Mrs Forrest Purnell, Mrs William Boden, Mrs Joseph Tagert, Miss Leila Yergey and Mrs. Charles Baylor.

Committees appointed by Mrs. Ash were the ways and means committee, Mrs. Stamm, chairman; Mrs. MacPhail, co-chairman; Mrs Pickard, Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. Albert Kessler, Mrs. Purnell, Mrs. Berman, Mrs Martin Feit, Miss Mildred King, Mrs. Earl Woolery, Mrs. Harry Burdan, Mrs. Ernest Hunter, Miss Helen Bell, Mrs. Lessig, Mrs. Baylor, Mrs. Strom, Mrs. Boden, Mrs Boarman, Mrs. Sidney Pollock, Mrs. J. A. Seldomridge, Mrs James Griffiths, Mrs William Pollock, Mrs Emerson Hewitt, Mrs. Sarni, Mrs. Paul Ammon, Miss Connie Chaplin, Mrs. Raymond Detterer, Mrs. Whitney Kirchner, Miss Helen Baker, Mrs. Trate, Mrs Stanley Skean, Mrs. Kenneth Moyer, Mrs Harold Spohn, Mrs. David Mauger, Mrs. Arthur Weitzenkorn, Mrs George Neiffer, Mrs. Saettele, Mrs. Robert Boarman, Mrs. Arthur Christman, Mrs. Haroerger and Mrs. Clayton Hutt.

Publicity committee, Mrs. Trate, chairman; Mrs. Treleven, co-chairman; Mrs. Alex Allison, Mrs. Mabel Dreyer, Mrs. Spencer Lessig, Miss Andora Hartenstine, Mrs. George Clammer and Mrs Harry Hartenstine. Hospitality committee, Mrs Sarni, chairman, Mrs. Lessig, co-chairman; Mrs Fred Alleman, Mrs. Ruth Swinehart, Mrs. Bayard Van Renssalaer, Miss Stella Bechtel, Miss Alice Bechtel, Mrs. John Zeigler, Mrs. Eugene Smith, Mrs Russell Will, Mrs. Richard Scheffey, Mrs Jacob Sotter, Mrs Lillian Wilson, Mrs. Daniel Skean, Mrs J. R. Purmorte, Mrs. John Conrad, Mrs. Jack Gauger, Mrs Paul Mitchell, Mrs. Earl Fritz, Mrs. Ellis Jones, Mrs. Alvin Jones, Mrs George Govatos, Miss Ellen Marquet, Miss M. Elizabeth Mayer, Mrs Charles Kimes, Mrs. Lewis Kimes, Mrs. George Yocum, Mrs. Jesse Hafer, Mrs Leon Huber, Mrs J. C. Asay, Mrs. Wayne Knause and Mrs James Smale.

Membership committee, Mrs. Sidley, chairman; Mrs. Baylor, co-chairman; Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. John Leveille, Mrs Charles Reymer, Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, Mrs Howard Trout, Mrs. Earl Graves, Mrs. Otello Botto and Miss Mildred Scheffley; program committee, Mrs. Storm, chairman; Mrs. Nichols, co-chairman; Mrs Aaron Thalmer, Miss Eleanor Bentz, Mrs. Harold Yocum, Mrs. Raymond Biefgen, Mrs David Alexander, Mrs. Gustave Weber, Mrs Jack Wenbersten, Mrs Jacob Sotter, Mrs. George Lineker, Mrs Carroll Rutter, Mrs. Elwood Schmearer, Mrs Sherman Burbank, Mrs. Willard Dorang, Mrs J. G. Shade, Mrs. John Longaker, Mrs. Evelyn Applegate, Mrs. Clarence Fry, Mrs William Appey, Miss Frances Zimmerman, Mrs John L. MacAndrews, Mrs. William Achatz, Mrs. Arthur Christman, Mrs Victor Roberts and Mrs. Anthony DiMaggio.

Purchasing committee, Mrs. Berman, chairman; Mrs O'Donnell, co-chairman; Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Webster Canning, Mrs Jack Leolang, Mrs. Otto Betten, Mrs. Harry Bartman, Mrs Albert Pollock, Mrs Dorothy Mulford, Mrs Jack Hoffman, Mrs Nichols, Mrs Joseph Brenner and Mrs Saul Berman; flower committee, Mrs. Joseph Tagert, chairman, Miss Leila Yergey, co-chairman; Miss Mary Porter, Mrs Earl Maurer, Mrs. Floyd Seecers, Mrs Sarah Edgecombe, Mrs. Daniel Yergey, Mrs. Karl Johnson, Mrs. Abraham Bernstein and Mrs Verna Donahower.

Attendance committee, Mrs Purnell, chairman; Mrs Boden, co-chairman, Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. Raymond Piersol, Mrs Edward Good, Mrs. Robert Missimer, Mrs Morris Hoffman, Mrs. Gordon Strunk, Mrs. Edwin Hartenstine, Mrs. Harold Beekely, Mrs. Robert Freeman, Mrs. William Bushey, Mrs. Harry Schurr, Mrs Ruth Sellers, Mrs C. Edmund Wells, Mrs Theodore Kemp and Mrs. George Parker, magazine committee, Mrs Schurr, chairman; Mrs. Wayne Knause co-chairman; Mrs Van Renssalaer, Mrs. Saettele, Mrs. Griffiths and Mrs. Jones; Red Cross committee, Mrs Sarni, chairman.

# Women's Society Guests In Pottstown Landing

Mrs Ruth Ecker, Pottstown Landing, entertained members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Cedarville M. E church in her home Tuesday night. Chairman of the meeting was Mrs Chester Hipple, while Mrs Leslie Strunk presided.

Members decided to send a box of clothing to stricken Belgium. Under discussion, also, was an Easter tea, the place and date not decided upon.

Plans are being formed to start a fund for chimes to be presented to the church.

# Woman's Page

CLUB NEWS

WEDDINGS

# Many Future Events Planned at Meeting Of Church Group

Members of the North Branch Christian Endeavor who met Tuesday night at the home of Mr and Mrs. William Pennypacker, Parkerford, plan to journey to St John's Reformed church, Phoenixville for a meeting and box social, Feb. 10.

The discussion for the evening centered on various plans for future affairs and announcements of future events.

"Cocoanuts for Sale" is the title of a play the group will present in Phoenixville, March 9, under the direction of Mrs. Clayton Bates.

Arch McQuillen, Devon, international vice-president of Christian Endeavor will be the speaker at the worship service, in Parkerford Baptist church, Sunday.

In East Nantmeal Baptist church on Tuesday, Feb 17 Lester Kase, state field secretary, Colonial Park, Dauphin county, will show movies, 'Discovering God.'

Plans were also made for the annual musical to be held in the near future under the direction of Robert Pennypacker, place and date still uncertain.

Miss Jane Hicks president, gave a resume of the Chester county C. E. banquet held in Coatesville.

The Rev. Clayton Bates, pastor of Nantmeal Baptist church, who presided in the absence of the president and vice-president, announced the Chester county convention April 16, and 17 and the State C. E. convention June 28 through July 3.

# BIRTHS

Mr and Mrs Clarence Oster, Pottstown RD 3, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Canned peach juice may be served as a starter for a baked ham dinner.

# Samoan Bride

American fashions have caught on as far away as the South Pacific, so this Samoan bride wears a wedding gown which looks like many seen in swank U. S. shops. There is, however one deviation from the customary apparel worn by girls going to the altar—the bride pictured here does not wear shoes. She and the groom walked through the whole ceremony barefooted. U. S. Navy photo.

# 'Patriotic Month' Observed With Talks By Three Teachers

Three brief talks on the lives of Abraham Lincoln, George Washington and Franklin Roosevelt were given by the Misses Ruth Pollock, Rita Kessler and Doris Leventhal, all members of the youth group, when the Jewish Women's league observed "patriotic month" last night when they met in the synagog, Mrs. David Alexander directed.

At the business meeting, a number of members planned to attend a course in league leadership training in Allentown March 2, 16, 30, and April 13. It was announced that Mrs Sol Borger, Mrs Sol Weintraub and Mrs Martin Feit had attended a board meeting of the Eastern Pennsylvania branch Jan 28 at Lansdale.

The Spring conference of the JWL of the Eastern Pennsylvania branch, to be held in Wilkes-Barre May 18, 19, was brought to the attention of the group.

Other activities scheduled in the near future are a business men's luncheon Feb 11 from 12 to 2 p m; a Purim dance March 21, with Sylvan Hermans orchestra, and a Donor dinner, May 12, Mrs Miriam Gulkanoff, chairman, in charge. All these affairs will take place in the synagog.

# PERSONALS

A. D Barnot, 547 Willow street was admitted to Jefferson hospital Philadelphia as a surgical patient.

There are 51 women judges now serving in the United States.

# Trudy Miller Honored On Ninth Birthday

Mr and Mrs. Earl W. Miller, 29 West Fourth street, entertained at their home a group of schoolmates and friends of their daughter, Trudy, who celebrated her ninth birthday, Tuesday Feb 3.

Games were played and prizes won by Billy Rhoads and George Emery. Later movies were shown including "The Mystery," "The Monkey" and "The First Snow."

Luncheon was served at a decorated table and favors given each guest.

Attending were: Patty Foltz, Patty Ann Missimer, Patty Brendlinger, Judy Brendlinger, Elizabeth Wentzel, Barbara Kalis, George Emery, Ruth Moyer, Diana Sandquist, Nancy Williams, Margaret Irene Sensing, Martha Yohn, David Evans, Billy Rhoads, John Johnson, Ellen Kyranoff, Jane Reichenbacher, David Miller, Pearl Miller and Anita Spanier.

Scotch plaid rubbers are somethings new in rain togs. They are of waterproof fabric and made in a wraparound design that snaps close to the foot.

# Social Calendar

**Ladies' Aid society of Trinity Reformed church**—No meeting this month due to sickness and inclement weather.

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**Daughters of the American Republic**—Meeting for this month cancelled.

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**Ladies' auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars**—Meeting tonight at 8.15 o'clock at the post home.

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**Zion's Bible class**—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the chapel.

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**Ladies' Aid society of Salem Evangelical church**—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs William Focht, 501 Spruce street.

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**Kenilworth PTA**—Covered dish supper scheduled for tonight is postponed.

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**Jewish Women's league**—Book review tonight at 8 15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Abe Pollock, 225 Rosedale drive.

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**King's Daughters**—Meeting for this month is postponed.

# Lady Reindeers Install Officers at York Lodge

Katherine DeWalt, Supreme deputy of the Lady Reindeers, traveled to York Tuesday night for the installation of officers of that lodge. Assisting in the installation were: Sadie Walters, Alice Grimes, Maude Thomas, Josephine Hoffman, Ida Yeager, Ruth Ulrich, Ann Cronin, Ada Beekley, Clara Sell, Ann Kennedy, Dorothy Law, Susie Tyson, Mable Bowers, Bertha Mort, Mrs. Lawrence Matthews and Leah Patison.

At a late hour luncheon was served.

# Secret Sisters Chosen During Class Meeting

"Secret Sisters" were chosen at the regular meeting of the Daughters of the Kings class of Searles Memorial Methodist church Tuesday night at the Home of Mrs Elmer Yahn, 35 Chestnut street. Following a turkey supper a short business meeting was held. Pig-in-the-box-winner was Mrs Mary Mentzer.


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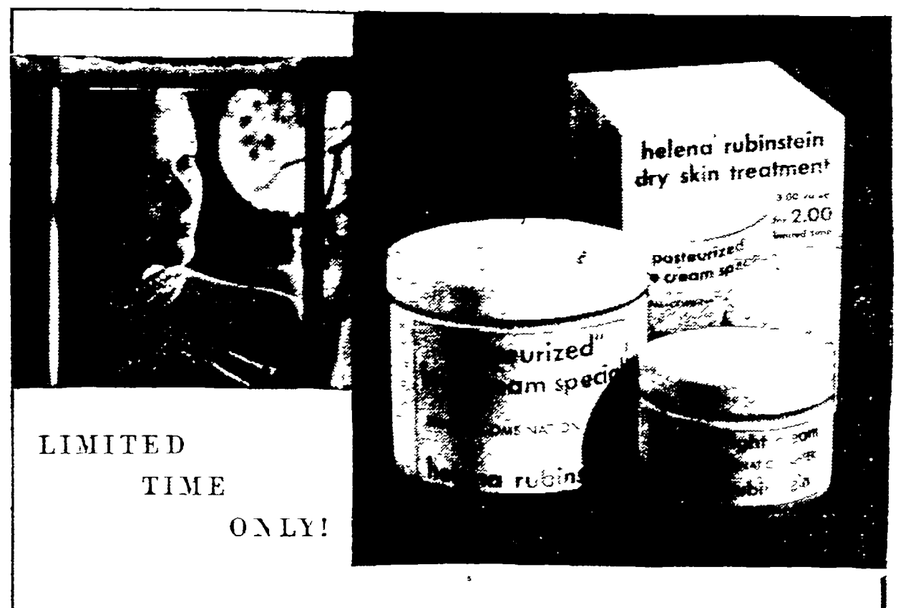


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# Little Remembered Aspects of Presidents Told in Illustrated Talk to Club

"The eastern section of United States has been the scene of the birthplaces of the greatest number of presidents," Mr. Thomas J. P. Heim told members of the Century club yesterday afternoon in an illustrated talk on American presidents

Mr. Heim, who has made his hobby the life study of the presidents, is instructor of history at West Chester State Teachers college He has visited the birthplace of every president and historic scenes connected with the presidency

Using several rolls of film to illustrate his talk, he related much of the little-known aspects of presidents' lives and statistics he had compiled

Members of the club were surprised at the knowledge they had once known of history and since had forgotten He reminded members that the State of Virginia had produced eight presidents, while Ohio had seven favorite sons Pennsylvania can claim only one head in the White House, James A. Buchanan, whose birthplace was near Lancaster

He further stated that all but six presidents were over the age of 50 Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest, elected at the age of 38, while William B Harrison was the oldest, entering office at 68

Other pertinent facts which he related were Woodrow Wilson had the most liberal of education; Andrew Jackson, who could neither read nor write, had the least; 24 of the 32 were college men, with Harvard sending the greatest number to Washington

Buchanan was the only unmarried president Abraham Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson were the only ones who did not belong to a specific church.

Following the address a short business meeting was held with Mrs Harry L. Christman, president, presiding.

Mrs Sydney Pollock gave a report on a lecture she attended in Philadelphia recently sponsored by the State Federation of Women's clubs, in which Mr. Grant S McClellan told of South African conquests.

The next meeting will be held Feb 18 with the international relations committee, Mrs Pollock, chairman, in charge Mrs Irvin March, the program committee was chairman last night

# Informal Tea Planned In Honor of Mothers

In honor of new mothers of the First Methodist church, a tea will be given by the Mother's club of that church in the parsonage, 414 High street, tomorrow night.

Assisting the Rev and Mrs. Horace Olewiler in receiving the guest will be the officers of the Mothers' club, Mrs. Wilfred Picard, president; Mrs. Donald Thompson, vice-president; Mrs. Harold Lachman, secretary, and Mrs Leroy Johnson, treasurer.

Mrs Helen Myers, Mrs Clarence Pike, Mrs Marcus Myers and Mrs. Walton Merkel will preside at the tea table.

The assisting hostesses will be Mrs Russell Cannell, Mrs Leroy Johnson, Mrs James Smale, Mrs. Emery Strausbough, Mrs Harold Lachman and Mrs. Charles Bast.

# Mrs. Schell Entertains With Bridal Shower

Members of the Home Arts club last night tendered a surprise bridal shower to Mrs. Kenneth Deloplane when they met at the home of Mrs Walter Schell, 19 North Hanover street.

The bride found gifts tied to white and red streamers stretching from a sprinkling can hanging to the chandelier. Table decorations followed the current valentine theme. Favors were little bridesmaids with tiny heart hats

Attending were Betty Wismer, Portia Tyson, Mildred Geist, Mrs Gerald Richards, Mrs Hathaway Geyer, Mrs Raymond Harp, Mrs Ralph Schwenk, Mrs Deloplane and Mrs Schell.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Applications for marriage licenses were made at the Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by:

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Richard J. Rees, Sanatoga, and Fay L. Mohn, 662 Walnut street.

John L. Bill and Faye D DeWitt, both of Pottstown RD 3

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**Discharged:** Charles Lease, 109 North Hanover street, medical; Mrs Gloria Geiser, 334 Walnut street, maternity; Morgan Matthias, Douglasville RD 2, medical, Mrs. Georgia Montrose, 410 Cherry street, maternity, Ruby Rambo, Royersford RD 1, surgical; Stella Campellone, Pottstown RD 3, surgical.

**MEMORIAL**

**Admitted:** Mrs. Margaret Fell, Collegeville, surgical; Arthur Weitzenkorn, 1304 High street, surgical, Mary Rowan, Penn Village, medical, Leroy Barrett, 308 King street, surgical

**Discharged:** Mrs. Mary M. Long, 474 Spruce street, surgical; Mrs. Rosalie Levengood, Pottstown RD 4, surgical; Mrs. Helen E. Lewis, 545 Chestnut street, maternity, Mrs. Mary Porter, Royersford, maternity, Donald Bausher, Bechtelsville, surgical, Howard Reifsnyder, Stowe, surgical.

# YOUR BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES

**Today**

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Joel Weikel, son of Mr and Mrs John Weikel, 293 Manatawny street.

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Robert Gerald Solomon, son of Mr and Mrs. William H. Solomon, 507 State street.

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James Smale Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs James Smale, Sanatoga.

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Gladys Harpel, daughter of Mr and Mrs. William Harpel Pottstown RD 3.

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Joan Larue Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Charles Hall, 656 Walnut street.

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Betty Gauger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gauger, 344 Jefferson avenue.

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Alice Kammerzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kammerzell, 221 Henry street.

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Shirley Kurtz, 242 East Third street

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William Fryer, son of Mr and Mrs. W. Brooke Fryer, 130 Chestnut street

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Aaron Soaner Jr., 224 South Price street.

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Barbara Jean Banus, daughter of Mrs Laura Banus, 319 Union street, aged five years.

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**Yesterday**

Mrs Jennie Impody, 247 South Reading avenue, Boyertown.

Grandmother's petticoat is back in granddaughter's wardrobe this Spring It may be bright colored taffeta or embroidered white cotton and sometimes peeks beneath the hemline.

# Play Rehearsals Started By Manthorne Players

Rehearsal for two new plays were started Tuesday evening when the Florence Manthorne Players met in their studio. These will be presented at the Gilbertsville Fire company and the Lion Club of Boyertown next week.

Attending were, Helen Bell, Ruth Emery, Marie Dengler, Alice Yocum, Charlotte Davis, Howard Land, Burdette Finkbinder, Steve Demeduk, Lee O'Dell and the director, Mrs. Manthorne.


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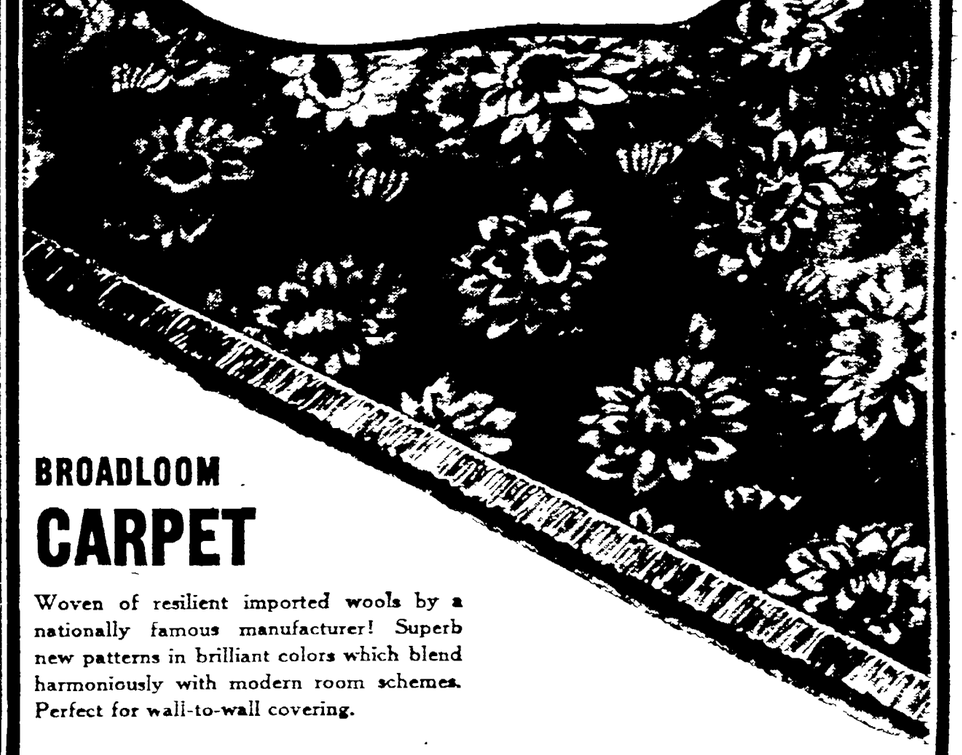

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## MORNING

| Hour | KYW NBC 1060 K | WCAU CBS 1210 K | WFIL ABC 560 K | WIP MBS 610 K |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 .00 | Morning Salute | Jamboree | Songs of Week | Dawn Patrol |
| .15 | News | Jamboree | Jack Day | Dawn Patrol |
| .30 | R. D.—1000 | Rural Digest. | Farmers Market: | Dawn Patrol |
| .45 | Ted Steele | Amos Kirby | Zeke Manners | News |
| 7 .00 | Musical Clock | News; Weather | LeRoy Miller | Mac McGuire |
| .15 | News; Music | Bugle Call | LeRoy Miller | Comedy |
| .30 | Musical Clock | Music | News; Weather | News; Mac |
| .45 | Musical Clock | J. Raleigh, News | LeRoy Miller | McGuire |
| 8 .00 | Musical Clock | Bugle Call | Musical Clock | Mac McGuire |
| .15 | " " | Music | " " | News |
| .30 | " " | Bugle Call | " " | Mac |
| .45 | " " | Music | Morning Extra | McGuire |
| 9 .00 | Ruth Welles | Winner Take All | Breakfast Club | News; Mac |
| .15 | " " | " " | " " | McGuire |
| .30 | Town Meeting | Gaineys at Home | " " | Chatter Bar |
| .45 | of the Air | Market Basket | " " | Rhythm Fun |
| 10 .00 | Fred Waring | Lets Have Fun | My True Story | Happiness |
| .15 | " " | Gladys Webster | " " | News |
| .30 | Road of Life | Evelyn Winters | Betty Crocker | Request Time |
| .45 | Joyce Jordan | David Harum | Dot Kilgallen | Kitchen Kapers |
| 11 .00 | Nora Drake | Arthur Godfrey | Breakfast | Kitchen Kapers |
| .15 | Katie's Daughtr | " " | In Hollywood | Tiny Ruffner |
| .30 | Jack Berch | Creighton Stuart | Galen Drake | Heart's Desire |
| .45 | Lora Lawton | Rosemary | Bill Lang | " " |

## AFTERNOON

| Hour | KYW NBC 1060 K | WCAU CBS 1210 K | WFIL ABC 560 K | WIP MBS 610 K |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12 .00 | Gabe Millerand | Wendy Warren | Welcome | Kate Smith |
| .15 | Luncheonaires | Aunt Jenny | Travelers | V. B. Lindlaw |
| .30 | " " | Helen Trent | Sleepy Hollow | News |
| .45 | News; Songs | Our Gal Sunday | Gang; News | Harmony Range's |
| 1 .00 | Melody Magic | " " | Rythm Show | Frenzie Martin |
| .15 | " " | Big Sister | Happiness | Passing Parade |
| .30 | Ruth Welles | Ma Perkins | A. Ives; News | Melodic Moods |
| .45 | Music, News | Dr. Malone | Farm Reports | Do Re Mi |
| 2 .00 | Today's Children | Guiding Light | Bantam Band | Queen For |
| .15 | Woman in White | Mrs. Burton | The Wiffils | a Day |
| .30 | Holy Sloane | Perry Mason | Bride and | Martin Block |
| .45 | Light o' World | Spotlight Show | Groom | Show |
| 3 .00 | Life Beautiful | Rose of Dreams | Ladies Be | Studio Party— |
| .15 | Ma Perkins | Double or | Seated | Mile Starr |
| .30 | Pepper Young | Nothing | Paul Whiteman | Strange Song |
| .45 | Rt. to Happiness | House Party; | Club | News Music |
| 4 .00 | Backstage Wife | News | Paul Whiteman | Melody Matinee |
| .15 | Stella Dallas | Hint Hunt; | Club | Songs from Stage |
| .30 | Lorenzo Jones | Band | Music Goes | Happiness Keys |
| .45 | Young Widder Brown | Creighton Stewart | Round | Memory Lane |
| 5 .00 | A Girl Marries | Music | Dick Tracy | Hop Harrigan |
| .15 | Portia Blake | Career Forum | Terry & Pirates | Superman |
| .30 | Pepper Young | Nursing | Sky King | Capt. Midnight |
| .45 | David Farrell | Blue Room | " " | Tom Mix |

## EVENING

| Hour | KYW NBC 1060 K | WCAU CBS 1210 K | WFIL ABC 560 K | WIP MBS 610 K |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 .00 | News, A. Bach | J. Reeves Nes. | Magic Lady | 6 P. M. Extra |
| .15 | Sports, Music | Sports; Weather | Bing Crosby | Johnson Family |
| .30 | Sundown Music | Peter Donald | Moorhead | Stoney McLinn |
| .45 | Three Star Extra | Lowell Thomas | Serenade | " |
| 7 .00 | Supper Club | Beulah | Song In | Unseen Advisor |
| .15 | News | Jack Smith | Our Hearts | John Facenda |
| .30 | Fearless Five | "Club 15" | Henry Morgan | Newscope |
| .45 | Man on Street | Edw. R. Murrow | " " | Inside of Sports |
| 8 .00 | Aldrich Family | The F. B. I. in | Candid | Jan August |
| .15 | " " | Peace and War | Microphone | Winter Olympics |
| .30 | Burns and Allen | Tracer of Lost | Ellery Queen | Block Party, |
| .45 | " " " | Persons; News | " " | Billy Rose |
| 9 .00 | Music Hall, | Dick Haymes, | Tales of | Gabriel Heatter |
| .15 | Al Jolson | Martha Tilden | Willie Piper | Jan Sablon |
| .30 | Village Store | Crime | Stan Kenton | RFD America |
| .45 | Jack Carson | Photographer | Orchestra | " " |
| 10 .00 | Bob Hawk Show | Cornel Wilde | Lee Sweetland | Family Theatre |
| .15 | " " " | " " | " " | " " |
| .30 | Eddie Cantor | Flint Nighter | Music | News |
| .45 | Show | " " | Peaceful Valley | Fulton Lewis |
| 11 .00 | News, Radio | News; Q. Howe | News, Weather | Come and Dance |
| .15 | Night Club | Powers Gourraud | Duke | " " " |
| .30 | Radio | Tommy Reed | Ellington | " " " |
| .45 | Night Club | Orchestra | Show | " " " |
| 12 p.m. | Caravan; News | News; Orchestra | Midnight Mosaic | Bandwagon |

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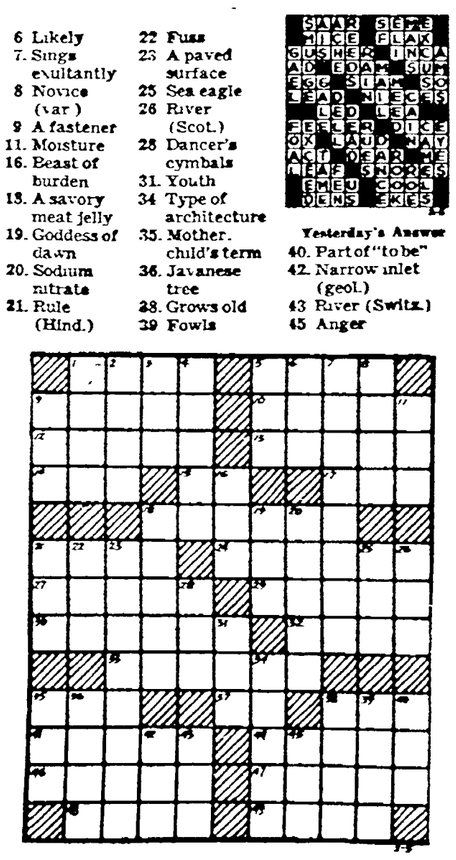
# TODAY'S Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**
1. Fragment
5. Agreement
9. Freedom from war
10. Plant insect
12. Does not work
13. Shop
14. Born
15. Tantalum (sym.)
17. Petty quarrel
18. Concur
21. Knocks
24. Dirtied
27. Conform
29. Cubic meter
30. Jolly
32. Serf
33. A cream-filled pastry
35. Silent
37. Note of the scale
38. Exclamation
41. Musical drama
44. River (Afr.)
46. Craze
47. Goddess of peace
48. Asterisk
49. Land tax (Scot.)

**DOWN**
1. Yield
2. Robust
3. Frozen water
4. Obnoxious insects
5. A dance step
6. Likely
7. Sings exultantly
8. Novice (var.)
9. A fastener
11. Moisture
16. Beast of burden
18. A savory meat jelly
19. Goddess of dawn
20. Sodium nitrate
21. Rule (Hind.)
22. Fuss
23. A paved surface
25. Sea eagle
26. River (Scot.)
28. Dancer's cymbals
31. Youth
34. Type of architecture
35. Mother, child's term
36. Javanese tree
38. Grows old
39. Fowls
40. Part of "to be"
42. Narrow inlet (geol.)
43. River (Switz.)
45. Anger

Yesterday's Answer



**CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation**

G AEX ER VGZI NAYJ XGXRN SQZEB AGR MZOB ER AGR IGMCZQ—RAEBZ-RUZEQZ.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: MARY HATH CHOSEN THAT GOOD PART, WHICH SHALL NOT BE TAKEN AWAY FROM HER—ST. LUKE.

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# SUMNEYTOWN

Charles Rogers, delivery.

Dora Mae Cavey, of Montgomeryville, daughter of Mrs. Roy H. Napier, became the bride of Guy Lester Brechbill, son of Mr and Mrs Lester M. Brechbill, of Souderton, at the Lutheran parsonage recently The Rev. E L. Angstadt performed the single ring ceremony The attendants were Dorothy Stowell, of Quakertown, and Andrew A. White, of Souderton. The bride is a graduate of Quakertown High school. She was attired in a pink suit with brown accessories and wore an orchid. The groom is a graduate of Souderton High school and at the present time is a junior at Lehigh university. Mr and Mrs. Brechbill will reside in Bethlehem.

Mrs. Sarah C. Angstadt is spending the week with her son, the Rev. E L. Angstadt and family.

Mrs. E L Angstadt is on jury duty this week.

Dennis Ray, infant son of Mr and Mrs Ira F Bardman, of Pennsburg, was baptized in St John's Lutheran church Sunday morning by the Rev E L Angstadt. The parents were the sponsors.

Friedens Union Sunday school will have their regular meeting Thursday night Feb 12, at 8 o'clock. All officers and teachers and members are urged to attend.

St John's Brotherhood will meet Monday night The Brotherhood of St. Paul's Red Hill, and the men of the church of St Luke's (Keelor's) Lutheran will be guests of St. John's at this meeting After a devotional period, there will be a social hour

Linda Marie, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs Stanley S Snupe, was baptized at the home of the parents Sunday afternoon by the Rev E L Angstadt The parents were the sponsors Mrs Sallie Stauffer great-grandmother, witnessed the ceremony

The first of a series of Lenten services in the Sumneytown Lutheran parish will be held in St John's church, Sumneytown, on Ash Wednesday, Feb 11 at 8 o'clock. The second of the series will be held at St Luke's (Keelor's). Obelisk, thus alternating these services throughout the entire Lenten season.

The flowers in the altar vases in St John's Lutheran church on Sunday morning honored the birthday anniversary of William M. Smith and were presented by his wife.

The bulletin in St John's Lutheran church was sponsored by Calvin Samsel in remembrance of his wife

St John's council met in regular session Tuesday night Lenten devotional booklets, offering envelopes, etc, were mailed out to the membership

Mr and Mrs Raymond Torantino spent Saturday in Philadelphia

Edward Walker, fireman at the former Lersch clothing factory, fell on the ice Sunday night and dislocated his right shoulder bone

Margaret Rausonski and Judith Cashatt spent Wednesday in Allentown

Mr and Mrs John Hartzell spent Sunday with Mrs Hartzell's parents, Mr and Mrs Monroe Holtzman, of Allentown.

Mrs. Oren Woodward and Mrs. John Hartzell spent a day in Allentown.

Elias Brever has obtained employment at the Roy Clemmens garage.

Miss Julia Benner attended the Bucks-Montgomery Home Economics associat on banquet at Kugler's restaurant, Philadelphia recently

Mr. and Mrs George Doll Sr., were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Leroy Grubo and family

Mr and Mrs Edwin Long and Leroy Grubo Jr who were on the sick list the past week, are well again.

Mrs Myrtle Shupe, Mr and Mrs. Lester Hersh, Beverly Shupe, Mr. and Mrs Paul Detweiler, Miss Joyce Reiff and Mr and Mrs Jordan M. Snyder and son, David, called on the Adam W Snyder family on Sunday.

Mrs Amanda Nace has returned to the home of her son after visiting relatives in Philadelphia and North Wales

More than 10,000 lakes have been charted in the Minnesota lake region.

# SCHWENKVILLE

Miss Mary C Moser, corr., Russell Keyser, delivery. Phone Schwenkville 3356.

The congregation of the Jerusalem Lutheran church and the members of its Sunday school gave a surprise reception and shower to the Rev. W C. Leopold and his bride the past Friday night. They received many useful gifts After a formal greeting an entertainment was given, followed by refreshments prepared by the Ladies Aid.

At recent meetings of Troop 3, Girl Scouts Carol West and Joanne Meng received tenderfoot pins, and Joy Tyson, Connie Shaffer, Nancy Schucert, Muriel Young, Ann Rogers and Dolores Ziletti passed their second class work.


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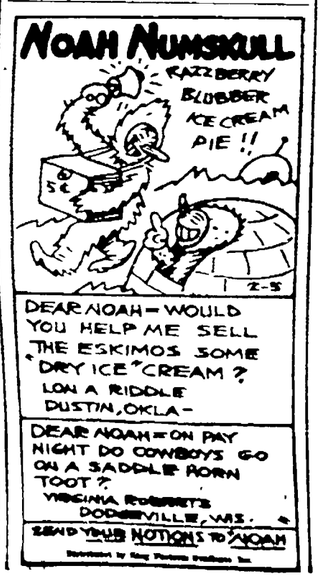


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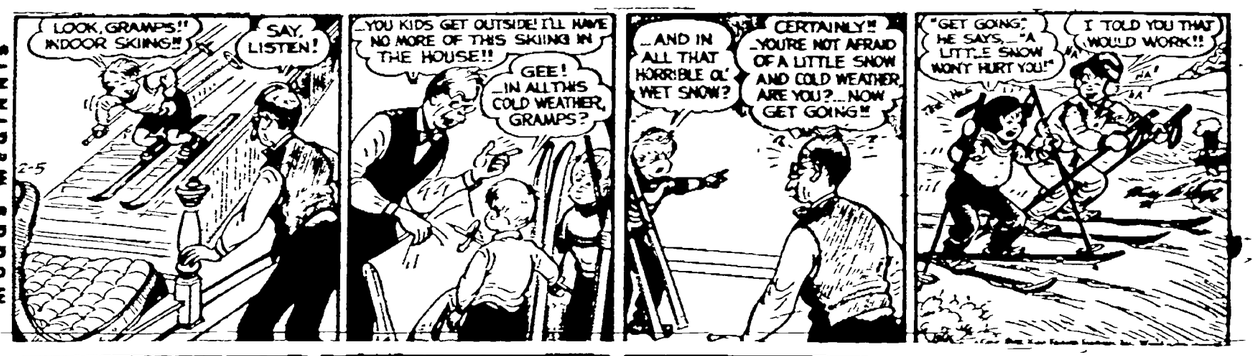


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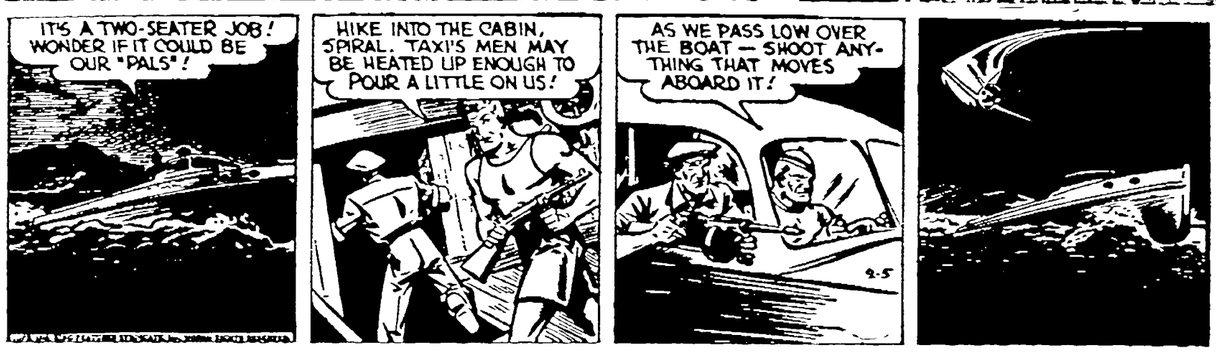


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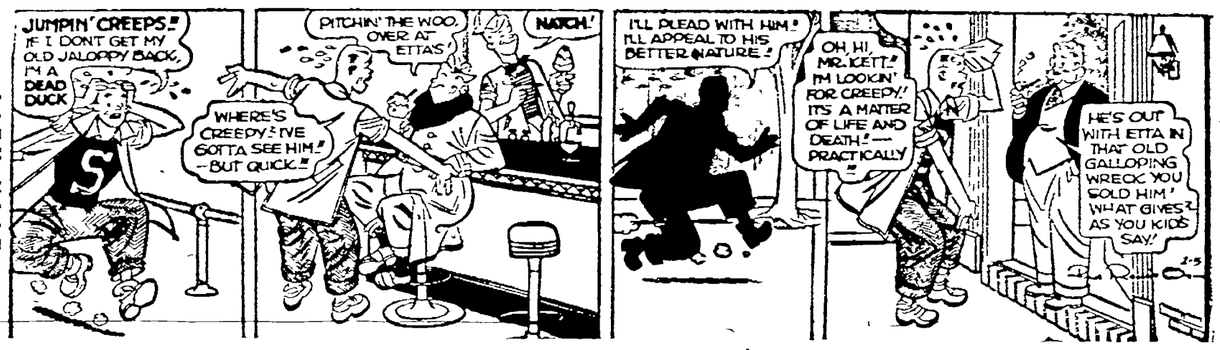


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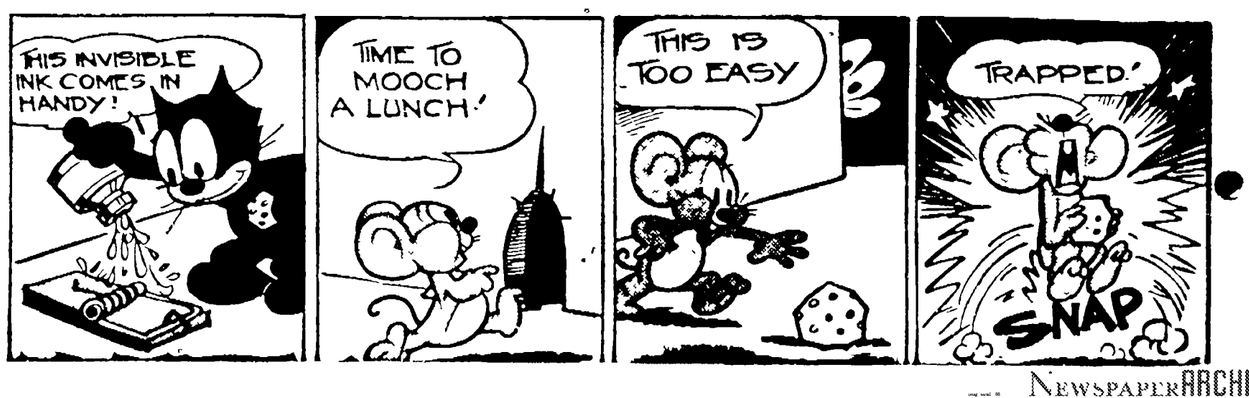


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# $89,000 Budget Adopted Tentatively For West Pottsgrove

The West Pottsgrove commissioners adopted a tentative budget of approximately $89,000 for the year 1948 last night as they met in the West End Fire house.

The biggest chunk of the proposed budget, about $40,000, will go to balance the sewer fund, Russell P. Yost, secretary, said. Of the remainder, close to $18,000 will be spent to refinish the roads after all the sewers are in

Peter Dori, president, told the four other members that $60,000 has been collected to date from Stowe residents in assessment for laying the sewer. Users are charged $3.50 a foot for frontage on sewer lines.

When the last of the five miles of sewer is completed Feb 15, as is expected, the total bill will amount to $140,000, Yost said.

One stretch on Berks street between Munroe and Fairview streets is yet unfinished, he added. One of the two diggers on the project has already departed to its home base, New York

The commissioners will vote definitely on acceptance of the budget on Feb 29.

# SAFETY COUNCIL —

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**ited with three semester hours, Hartman added, and will need only three more hours for a permanent certificate.**

In 1950 the semester-hour requirement will be jumped to nine, and to 12 hours in 1951, he said.

Harman concluded by saying that the safety program of the State Department of Education has been expanded with a view to covering the entire field of safety work, including highway, home and industry.

O C Beacraft, Sanatoga, council chairman announced that the first of several thousand colored safety posters made by the council rolled from the presses yesterday.

Each month the council will distribute a different poster to schools and industries, utilizing prize-winning slogans submitted in the council's recent contest, Beacraft said.

The first poster depicts a stop sign, and bears as its central legend. "Thou Shalt Not Kill—Drive Carefully"

# Veterinarians Conduct TB Tests in County

Montgomery county dairymen enrolled under the TB test plan will have their herds inspected this month, the Bureau of Animal Husbandry announced yesterday

Limerick, Upper Providence and Pottsgrove townships were started on the tests Monday, the bureau said Others will be inspected as soon as veterinarians are available.

The county committee in charge of the plan are Allan Myers, Center Point; Elmer Pennypacker, Trappe; George Horrocks, Schwenkville; Arthur Landis, Fagleysville, and Rufus Boyer, Pottstown

# GIRL'S CHARGES —

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**gled with him, she screamed, attracting Frank N. Bowe, who lives near the scene. Bowe went there, she said, and told Yednock to stop.**

During her struggle, she testified, Desmond stood alongside of Yednock but did not help her.

The men drove off and Bowe took Mrs Brophy in his car to the State police station in Collegeville. On their way down the pike, the Yednock car passed them and Mrs Brophy took its license number.

The men were arrested later in Jeffersonville by State police

Under cross-examination by defense counsel, Julian W. Barnard, Mrs. Brophy said she had lived in Phoenixville only three weeks at the time, going there from Brooklyn. She said she had gone there with a "Corporal Johnson," to work at Valley Forge hospital but did not obtain work there She worked for a while as a waitress She said she is married and the mother of a child.

# Thief Has Craving For Fine Lingerie

A bold laundry thief, who chooses only expensive pieces of ladies' silk underwear, looted the washline of Mrs. Della Skean, 522 North Washington street, Tuesday night, making off with a slip and a nightgown.

Not content with sneaking up to her kitchen door to loot the line while she was eating, the thief also cut the line to drop the remainder of the clean laundry to the ground

According to Mrs Skean, the theft was the third committed in her yard since Christmas Each time, the thief chose only the best and most expensive piece of silk underwear or laundry on the line Previously, a pair of panties and a dress had been stolen

The thefts were reported to the police yesterday Chief of Police James A Laughead said he has detailed an officer to the case to investigate.

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# Vocational Students Tour Doehler Plant

Nine young men who are vocational students at Pottstown high school were taken on a tour of the Doehler-Jarvis corporation plant yesterday afternoon by members of the Pottstown Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Francis M. Wampler, plant safety engineer, conducted the tour, assisted by two Jaycee members, John M. Howard, secretary, and L. Stanley Mauger.

After the tour, Howard and Mauger reported that the students had been so enthused by the trip that several expressed regret because they would be graduated while still 17 years old, and under child labor laws could not apply for work at the plant until they were 18

The trip covered all phases of die-casting production, including a visit to the storeroom housing between 1700 and 1800 dies The trip ended with a question-and-answer session conducted by Wampler.

Next Wednesday the Jaycee will conduct 10 vocational students through the Stanley G Flagg and company plant, starting at 1 o'clock

# County Fruit Growers To Hear College Speakers

Three extension specialists of Pennsylvania State college will be the speakers Tuesday at the annual Winter meeting of Montgomery county fruit growers in Lamb's hotel, Trappe.

Carl Bittner, fruit specialist, will address the morning session, starting at 10 30 o'clock on orchard management, pruning, fertilizers and cover crops

In the afternoon, John Pepper and I. O. Weaver will outline fruit disease and insects and suggest sprays and their use

The Montgomery County Agricultural Extension association will sponsor the meeting.

# LIVING COSTS —

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the recent investigations and publication of traders' names.

**A third is that the world wheat supply is better than it seemed likely to be a few months ago — and the more wheat there is, the lower its price tends to be.**

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder touched on the boom-bust question earlier. He said the Government would proceed "judiciously" in paring the national debt because of the possible effect on business and industry.

If the Government doesn't tread lightly, Snyder indicated at a news conference, banks might be forced to refuse new loans or call old ones Either would be a symptom of "recession."

# Judge Delays Decision On Eisler's Appeal

NEW YORK, Feb 4 (AP)—German-born Gerhard Eisler failed today in an effort to gain his freedom on bail pending a hearing on deportation proceedings instituted against him by the U S Government

Eisler, described by a House committee as America's "No. 1 Communist," appeared before Federal Judge Edward A. Conger. The judge delayed his decision on whether Eisler was eligible for bail and Eisler was returned to Ellis Island.

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# BUSH PROPOSES —

(Continued From Page One)

nine years in acquiring the water company" he said.

"The other $22,000 is a sum that will be used for borough expenses between January and July, when the tax money begins to come in. The Pennsylvania Economy league told us that when we had a surplus at the end of the calendar year to tide us over until the beginning of the fiscal year, we would be in a sound financial position, and that is the position we are in now"

Bush repeated the list of borough improvements contemplated in the near future. These include addition of another sergeant to the police department; repair and rebuilding of streets; additional sewer lines; building an addition to borough hall to house the water company, and beginning proceedings to buy the old opera house for future borough offices, construction of a borough garage; erection of more street and traffic lights and the purchase of a bulldozer and shovel.

He predicted that the entire question of tax cutting versus borough improvements probably would be threshed out on the floor of the council chambers Monday night.

A business meeting of the Ambucs followed Bush's talk, and President Joseph Hann was in charge.

**GIRL ATTACKED**

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 (AP) — Seven-year-old Audrey Charles tonight was attacked and beaten with a hammer by a sex moron in a church building.


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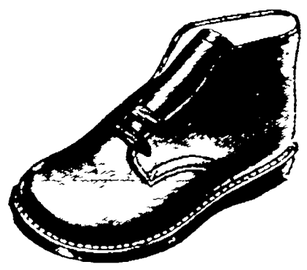

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# SPORTS SECTION

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## DRIFTIN' AROUND

WITH ELMER PANOC

GEORGE MENTZER, former Pottstown High diver, is making a name for himself as a free style swimmer and a fancy diver for the Augusta Military academy at Staunton, Va.

**Mentzer has shown in the past that he has the makings of a championship diver. As a sophomore in Pottstown High, Mentzer was runnerup to Tommy Allen, another Trojan diver, for the PIAA District One championship, losing only by a few points.**

The past year, as the No. 1 diver for Augusta Military academy, Mentzer worked his way into the national tourney where he copped fifth place. His coach is expecting the Pottstown lad to make a better showing this year.

**Diving isn't Mentzer's only talent in a swimming pool. As a free style swimmer, Mentzer has met with great success in the 50-yard free style event. He is one of the few swimmers in Southern prep schools able to win two events in one swimming meet.**

Some of the schools which Mentzer is competing against this year are VPI, Virginia university and Washington and Lee college junior varsities, Bullis Prep of Washington, Valley Forge Military academy, Fishburne, Massanutten and the Navy Plebes.

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**JOHNNY CALCINORE, light heavyweight boxer from Kenilworth, is expected to get back in action sometime this month in one of Promoter Harry D. Weil's boxing shows at the Reading Armory.**

**Calcinore, who was making a fast climb up the fistic ladder until he was forced to undergo an appendicitis operation a few months ago.**

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ACCORDING to reports from Coatesville, Jock Sutherland, coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers in the National Professional Football league, and Fritz Crisler, mentor of the Michigan Wolverines will be the clinicans at the football coaches clinic at Coatesville in March. Sutherland's Steelers lost to the Philadelphia Eagles in the playoff for the championship of the Eastern division of the National Football league the past Fall while Crisler's gridders won the Rose Bowl contest and finished second in the Associated Press' annual football poll.

The two coaches will show movies, illustrate different plays and will demonstrate various methods of coaching at the clinic. The clinic will run four days at the Coatesville High athletic field.

**It is rumored that the Twin-Boro, Phoenixville Moose and Norristown LAM football teams will combine in September and enter a well known professional league in Pennsylvania. With the top-notch players from those three communities displaying their talents, the team should hold its own in any small professional league in the East.**

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THE Pottstown Cardinalettes finally hit their peak Tuesday night when they defeated St John's Falconettes by a 48-37 score at Reading.

**Mrs. Verna Mentzer, coach of of the Cardinalettes said last night that it was the best showing of the team thus far this year. "Every girl looked good against the Reading team," said Mrs. Mentzer, "and it was beautiful to watch. Their passing and shooting was marvelous as was their guarding. I believe the girls will really start to move now."**

The Cardinalettes have the top material in this section and are anxious to give Pottstown fans good basketball. The local girls play their home games at the Armory and the Pottstown Junior High palestra.

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BROWER YERGER, Pottstown High junior who won a regular starting position on the Trojan cage team, is currently holding down fourth place in the Section Three scoring race.

**Yerger, who saw little action on the court before entering high school, has tabbed 14 field goals and 13 charity tosses in five games for a 47-point total, but he is still far behind the leader.**

West Chester High's Tom Redmond is setting a hot pace in Section Three scoring with 80 points in five games. In second place is Al King of Coatesville with 54 points and Andy Falasco of Berwyn holds third place.

## WEB ABBOTT LEADS THE HILL TO HOCKEY WIN

### Scores Three Goals in 7-1 Win Over Peddie; LeBlond Scores Twice

Web Abbott pulled the old hockey "hat trick" of scoring three goals in one game yesterday on the Princeton university rink to lead The Hill's hockey team to its second consecutive victory over Peddie school, 7-1.

**Abbott was the outstanding skater on the rink, driving the entire length of the rink through the Peddie team on two different occasions to score. His third tally came on a pass from Ted Driscoll in the second period.**

After Houston Hale opened scoring after two minutes in the first period, Abbott dunked his first two goals to give the Blue and Grey a 2-0 lead. One minute after Abbott got his second goal, Tim Robinson scored for Peddie, but Hoppy LeBlond and Jack Kiggen followed with tallies to give The Hill a 5-1 lead.

Abbott's goal was the only score of the second period, but in the third stanza, LeBlond added his second goal on a pass from Driscoll, his second assist of the day

| The Hill | | Peddie |
|---|---|---|
| Gwynne | G | Warwick |
| Kiggen | RW | Alder |
| Hale | RD | Perry |
| Thorne | C | Irons |
| Abbott | LD | Peterson |
| Lonzstreth | LW | Robinson |

Score by periods

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| The Hill | 5 | 1 | 1 | —7 |
| Peddie | 1 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

## The Hill Basketters Top Engineers, 72-44

Unable to make the trip from Heightstown, N. J, because of the snowstorm, Peddie school was forced to postpone its basketball game with The Hill cagers yesterday afternoon.

This was the third game of the year postponed because of snow at the local prep school, but even though yesterday's game was called off, Coach Walt Lemley put his charges through a regular game.

The Pottstown Tool and Engineering company five currently leading the City Cage league, battled the Blue and Grey and dropped a 72-44 decision on spacious Gillison Memorial court. Jack Knudsen led The Hill to victory with 19 points.

## Fails to Sign

HARRY WALKER

## *Harry Walker Fails to Sign Phils Contract*

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 4 (AP)—Harry (The Hat) Walker, the 1947 National league batting champion, walked out of the Philadelphia Phillies office today without signing a 1948 contract but he insisted, "I am not a holdout."

Walker met with owner Robert Carpenter Jr for two hours and then said he would leave tomorrow for his home in Leeds, Ala

**"Mr Carpenter and I had a very fine talk," said Harry. "He made his offer. I told him what I wanted. We weren't too far apart but enough to send me back home to think it over."**

Neither Walker nor Carpenter would say what the outfielder demanded or how much difference there was between them "I was asked not to say anything about it, and I gave my word that I wouldn't," said Harry.

Revealing he is now in the home building business in Leeds, Harry said:

"If I have to stay home, I'll spend the time overseeing the construction of these homes, but I'd much rather play baseball."

**MEETING CALLED**

The El Chico AC will hold an important meeting tonight in the clubhouse. club officials announced last night. The meeting is scheduled to start at 7 30 o clock.

## THE HILL J. V.'S TOP PERKIOMEN IN WRESTLING

### John Ryan's Decision In Final Match Clinches 18-15 Victory

John Ryan's 5-0 decision over Pat Pitsilos in the final match of the afternoon gave The Hill's junior varsity wrestling team an 18-15 victory over Perkiomen Prep's varsity battlers yesterday on The Hill mats

**Although it was Ryan's decision that gave The Hill its final three points needed for victory, Tucker Edson's pin and Tom Melly's victory by a fall were the matches that brought the Blue and Grey back into the fight.**

After Lew Billingslea pinned his opponent in the first match, Perkiomen took four consecutive decisions to build up a 12-5 lead. Edson then flattened Tom Smurack of Perkiomen in the 154-pound bout to pull The Hill within striking distance. Tom Winer's victory by decision gave Perkiomen a 15-10 advantage only to have Melly pin his opponent in 1 minute, 52 seconds of the second period to tie the score. Ryan then took a decision in the heavyweight class to clinch the victory.

Summary:

120-pound class — Billingslea, H. pinned Kogel, P in 2 minutes, 59 seconds of the third period.

127 pound class—Brodt, P decisioned Cosford, H, 5-0

133-pound class—Lum P decisioned Faber H, 6-1

139 pound class — Rodriquez, P, decisioned Wear H, 9-4

145 pound class — Warnke, P., decisioned Miller H 6-3

154 pound class — Edson H., pinned Smurack P., in 1 minute, 52 seconds of first period

165-pound class—Winer, P., decisioned Weber H, 12 2

175 pound class — Melly, H pinned Emerson, P in 1 minute, 52 seconds of first period

Heavyweight class — Ryan H., decisioned Pitsilos P 5 0

Score The Hill, 18 Perkiomen, 15

## Irish, Michigan To Share Awards

DETROIT, Feb 4 (AP) — Notre Dame and Michigan top rivals for the mythical national football championship in 1947, will share honors here tomorrow by dividing two major awards from the Detroit Times Downtown Quarterback club.

Johnny Lujack, Notre Dame's All-America quarterback, will receive the club's fifth "Player of the Year" award and Michigan's coach, H. O. (Fritz) Crisler, will be honored as 1947 'Coach of the Year'

The Yost Memorial trophy, emblematic of the Western Conference championship, will be presented to Crisler for Michigan by Kenneth L (Tug) Wilson, Big Nine commissioner.

Lujack's "Player of the Year" award will be presented by Glenn Davis, 1946 winner who is flying here from Ft Benning, Ga Davis earned the prize a year ago as a member of Army's mighty grid machine.

# Amvets Edge Transfiguration; Maria Assunta Takes 6th Win

**STANDINGS**

| | W | L | Pct | | W | L | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Engineers | 8 | 0 | 1.000 | Brownie's | 4 | 4 | .500 |
| Roth's | 7 | 1 | .875 | Transf'n | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| M'ia Ass'a | 6 | 3 | .667 | St John's | 2 | 6 | .250 |
| UAW 644 | 5 | 3 | .625 | Pretzels | 2 | 6 | .143 |
| Amvets | 5 | 4 | .556 | Shamr'ks | 1 | 8 | .125 |
| URW 326 | 4 | 4 | .500 | | | | |

Jack Kurtz intercepted a pass and dropped a field goal with but two seconds remaining in the game last night to give the Pottstown Amvets a 35-34 victory over Transfiguration AA in the first game of a City league doubleheader at the Pottstown Junior High palestra last night.

The victory ended a three-game losing streak for the Amvets and boosted them into fifth place in the league standings. The defeat was the fifth of the year for Transfiguration.

**In the main event, Maria Assunta rolled to its sixth consecutive City league victory by scoring an impressive 54-40 win over the 7th Ward Shamrocks.**

**The victory gave Maria Assunta sole possession of third place in the standings, one and one-half games behind Roth's.**

Transfiguration, trailing by one point at halftime, came back in the second period to give the Amvets considerable trouble Transfiguration took the lead in the third period but the Amvets kept it close throughout the fourth period until Kurtz's goal brought the defending champs from behind to win. Kurtz paced the winners with 10 points

The nightcap saw Maria Assunta take a seven-point lead in the first period and coast to another easy victory. The winners increased their advantage to 27-12 at halftime and sported a 42-23 lead in the third period to clinch the contest.

Ace Bianchini, Walt Paskowski and Doug Umstead supplied the scoring punch for Maria Assunta against the Shamrocks. Bianchini accounted for 13 points while Paskowski tallied 12 Umstead hit the cords for 10 digits.

| Amvets | G | F | P | Transfiguration | G | F | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H Shaner, f | 2 | 3 | 7 | R Meyers, f | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Umstead, f | 1 | 2 | 4 | Schultz, f | 2 | 3 | 7 |
| Anderson, c | 2 | 2 | 6 | V Meyers, f | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Sowers, c | 1 | 2 | 4 | M Preece, f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J Kurtz, g | 5 | 0 | 10 | Allen, c | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| M Kurtz, g | 1 | 0 | 2 | Bauer, g | 6 | 0 | 12 |
| Mingey, g | 1 | 0 | 2 | Marquette, g | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| B Kurtz, g | 0 | 0 | 0 | S Preece, g | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Totals | 13 | 9 | 35 | Totals | 15 | 4 | 34 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Amvets | 9 | 11 | 7 | 8—35 |
| Transfiguration | 2 | 17 | 9 | 6—34 |

| Shamrocks | G | F | P | Maria Assunta | G | F | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Grissemer, f | 2 | 1 | 5 | Bianchini, f | 4 | 5 | 13 |
| Tome, f | 1 | 0 | 2 | Mountain, f | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Fisher, f | 2 | 0 | 4 | Keller, f | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ammon, f | 0 | 1 | 1 | Umstead, c | 4 | 2 | 10 |
| R. Shaner, c | 0 | 0 | 2 | Paskowski, g | 6 | 0 | 12 |
| G Shaner, c | 2 | 0 | 4 | Peterman, g | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Mentzer, g | 1 | 0 | 2 | Lengle, g | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| B Shaner, g | 1 | 0 | 2 | | | | |
| Hoffman, g | 2 | 0 | 4 | | | | |
| Kern, g | 4 | 0 | 8 | | | | |
| Totals | 19 | 2 | 40 | Totals | 22 | 10 | 54 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Shamrocks | 4 | 8 | 11 | 17—40 |
| Maria Assunta | 7 | 16 | 15 | 16—54 |

## *Former Norco High Athlete Signs Contract With Braves*

Bobby Cannell, former North Coventry High athlete, signed a one-year contract with the Boston Braves of the National league last night for an undisclosed sum and a bonus for signing. The 19-year old outfielder will be sent to the Braves' farm team at Richmond, Ind, in the Class D Ohio State league.

Johnny Ogden, head of the Braves' farm system, and Cannell discussed contract terms in the Cannell home Tuesday, but the former Norco baseball, basketball and football star didn't ink the contract until last night. Bobby's father, Horace Cannell was present when he closed the deal with the Brave official.

**The Braves got their first look of Cannell at the baseball school sponsored by the Boston club at The Hill the past Summer. Cannell impressed Ben Tincup, Boston scout, with his all-around play and Tincup notified the Boston office of the South Pottstown lad.**

Ogden revealed that Cannell was the only player who participated in the baseball school here the past Summer to be signed to a contract

Cannell has also tried his luck at pitching, but the Braves have signed him to play the outfield for their Richmond team in the Ohio State league. He will report to the Richmond team's training camp in Kentucky sometime next month.

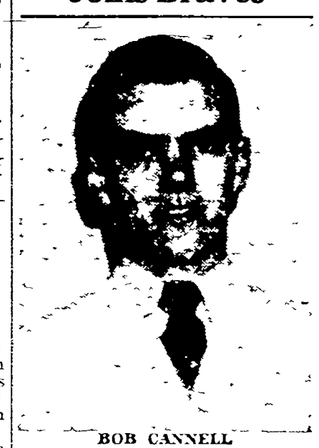
**Cannell said he started playing baseball "as soon as I learned how to catch a ball," and he has been playing ever since. The new member of the Boston roster said he learned most of his baseball tricks from his dad, but also learned more about the game by playing with various teams.**

While attending Norco High Bobby received a varsity letter in baseball and football and was awarded four letters in basketball His high school career ended with graduation in the Spring of 1946

During the Summer months, he played with various baseball teams in the Pottstown area He saw action with First Baptist in the Sunday School league, Pottstown Manufacturing company in the City Industrial league and the Norco Aces in the French Creek Valley league. He also played for a few other independent teams.

Following his graduation from Norco High, Cannell entered Kutztown State Teachers college where he played one year of varsity baseball and one year of varsity football, but his college career ended after his freshman year.

## Joins Braves



BOB CANNELL

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## North Carolina State Quintet Holds Big Lead in National Scoring Race

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP)—North Carolina State's "Hoosier Hotshots" are running away with the major college basketball scoring race.

Averaging 78.2 points per game in their first 20 starts through Jan. 31 the Southern conference leaders enjoy a comfortable margin over runnerup Rhode Island State.

**A 98-point splurge against Hampden-Sydney and two free-scoring flings against Furman and Wake Forest, solidified North Carolina State's lead. The Wolfpack has scored 1564 points in 20 games and that doesn't include 81 against North Carolina last night.**

Rhode Island's second place average of 75.5 was piled up in 12 games according to figures compiled by the National Collegiate Athletic bureau on games through Jan. 31. Bowling Green was third at 72.5, Western Kentucky fourth at 70.8 and Bradley displaced Kentucky in fifth position with a 70 6 average.

**Due to the midterm examination period there was relatively little action on the college fronts during the past week. Consequently there was little change in the leaders, either on offense or defense.**

Oklahoma A. & M continued to sport the best defensive record, allowing only 33 points per game to the opposition in 17 contests Alabama's 37 1 point average was next best, followed in order by Wyoming, Penn State, Tulane, North Carolina, Siena, St Louis, St. Bonaventure and Hamline.

## BASKETBALL SCORES

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| Westminster | 74 | Juniata | 50 |
| Clemson | 77 | Furman | 52 |
| Waynesburg | 65 | Geneva | 52 |
| Fordham | 63 | Rutgers | 49 |
| Roanoke College | 32 | Washington & Lee | 24 |
| Hampden-Sydney | 83 | Bridgewater | 56 |
| Defiance | 68 | Indiana Tech | 54 |
| East Kentucky | 76 | Georgetown | 40 |
| Rider College | 65 | Queens College | 41 |
| Seton Hall | 60 | Geo Washington | 52 |
| Duquesne | 48 | Lafayette | 36 |
| Virginia | 73 | Danville | 63 |
| Swarthmore | 55 | Johns Hopkins | 52 |
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# SWOYER MAKES BOXING DEBUT IN READING ARMORY

### Meets Gus Yatron in 4-Rounder Tomorrow; Brewer in Windup

Archie Swoyer, local heavyweight, will make his pro debut at the Reading Armory tomorrow night when he meets Gus Yatron, young Greek Reading heavyweight, in one of the four-rounders on Promoter Harry D Weil's semi-monthly fight cards While serving with Uncle Sam, Swoyer met with excellent success beating 11 Army fighters at various camps, and since his doffing of the khaki has participated in six amateur bouts The local lad will undoubtedly have his hands full, inasmuch as the Reading Greek gladiator tips the Fairbanks in the neighborhood of 200 pounds and has had about as much amateur experience as Swoyer plus one pro bout

**In the eight-round windup Friday night, Promoter Weil will present Joe Brewer, sensational young South Philadelphia High school boy scrapper, against Patsy Gall, Hazleton hard-hitting Italian welterweight. Gall is the claimant of the welterweight championship of the coal regions and numbers among his experiences a draw with Ike Williams, present lightweight champion of the world. Brewer is without a doubt the outstanding welterweight prospect in Philadelphia today and is a popular favorite with the Reading fight fans, having won every one of the nine bouts in which he was a participant at the Reading Armory.**

In supporting four-rounders Jimmy DeCerio Norristown youngster will trade punches with Reading's Gee Sparry, while Tony Wolf of Lebanon mixes with Eddie Robinson, Philadelphia battler who spars with Brewer.

In two six-round tussles Bob Welch, Berlin, N J battles Harrisburg's Emmett Norris and Archie McBride, battler from New Hope, faces Eddie Bell in a heavyweight scrap.

**ST. ALOYSIUS WINS**

Benny Underwood's scoring punch in the first extra period gave St Aloysius cagers a 30-27 victory over Birdsboro's Midgets Tuesday night in an exhibition game played at Birdsboro Underwood took scoring honors with 12 points on six field goals.

# *American Housewife Cops 2d Place in Olympic Skiing*

ST. MORITZ, Switzerland, Feb 4 (AP)—A pretty Western housewife, her pigtails flying, plummeted down a zig-zag alpine snow course today to accomplish something no American ever had done before her—win a medal in an olympic skiing event against Europe's masters.

Mrs. Gretchen Fraser, the 28-year-old Vancouver, Wash., star, was the toast of the American camp tonight as the temperature here dropped, the ice froze over again and it became certain it would not be necessary, after all, to abandon the games in mid career

**Mrs. Fraser, a modest 115-pounder, scored her unprecedented personal triumph by placing second in the women's alpine combined ski test, in which she was edged out of first place by Trude Beiser of Austria by the nearly invisible margin of 37 one-hundredths of a point.**

The highest an American—man or woman—ever placed before in an Olympic ski event was 11th Sverre Fredheim of St Paul, Minn., attained that mark in the ski jump of the 1936 Winter games at Garmisch-Partenkirchen in Germany

The combined is a ski event in two sections, the first a downhill race and the second the slalom, in which the contestants speed in and out between markers set on a precipitous slope Mrs Fraser finished 11th in the downhill on Monday, but her speed and grace today all but carried her to the championship

**She flashed down the course twice in 61.8 and 59.2 seconds for the second-best elapsed time of the day — 2 minutes, 1 second. Miss Beiser, the winner, totalled 2 minutes, 10.5 seconds for the two runs, but her better placing in Monday's downhill enabled her to squeak through over the American matron.**

Figure skating and cresta sledding were postponed today because of the unseasonable thaw but toward evening the temperature dropped and the information bureau announced that all ice events would be held tomorrow.

The day's results left Sweden still on top on the Associated Press scoreboard and pushed France above the United States despite Mrs Fraser's brilliant showing

**The team standing tonight was: Sweden 60, Norway 48½, Switzerland 45, Finland 38, Austria 36, France 27, United States 20¼, Italy 11, Holland six, Belgium three, Hungary three, Britain two, and Canada one-fourth.**

The sixth day's champions:

Men's alpine combined — Henri Oreiller of France, who also won the downhill championship thus becoming the first double individual winner of the games

Women's combined—Trude Beiser of Austria

**Tomorrow Mrs. Fraser will race in the special slalom, which counts in itself as a championship, and she has a good chance to win.**

The United States in fact, has a chance for two titles tomorrow The men's figure skating crown seems a certainty for Dick Button of Englewood, N J Dick led the field by a wide margin at the end of the compulsory part of the competition on Monday, and only free style remains — at which he is with it peer.

The cresta run, put off from today, may well go to Jack Heaton, of New Haven, Conn., winner of the event in 1928. He was only two-tenths of a second behind the leader at the end of the first three heats yesterday. Three more remain to be run.

In the men's combined skiing event the Americans to a man did much better in the slalom than in the downhill racing In placing 12th in the final standing Jack Reddish of Salt Lake City earned 9.71 points in the downhill and 3.53 in the slalom for a total of 13.25

# Cubs Win Scramble For Young Pitcher

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 (AP)—The Chicago Cubs today won a 10-club scramble to sign George Zoeterman, 17-year old left handed high school pitching star.

Zoeterman was signed to play next season with the Decatur, Ill., club of the Three-I league, a Cub farm His progress to pitching duty with the Cubs will demand upon the showing he makes at Decatur. He will join Decatur March 29 at its Spring training camp at Selma, Ala

Zoeterman was originally signed by the Chicago White Sox a year ago However, he was declared a free agent by A. B Chandler, commissioner of baseball and the White Sox were fined $500 because the youth was signed while still in high school.

**CARDS SIGN CLATT**

CHICAGO, Feb 4 (AP)—Corwin "Cornie" Clatt, flashy Notre Dame fullback who finished his collegiate career the past season, has signed with the Chicago Cardinals for 1949, Ray Benningsen, club president said today

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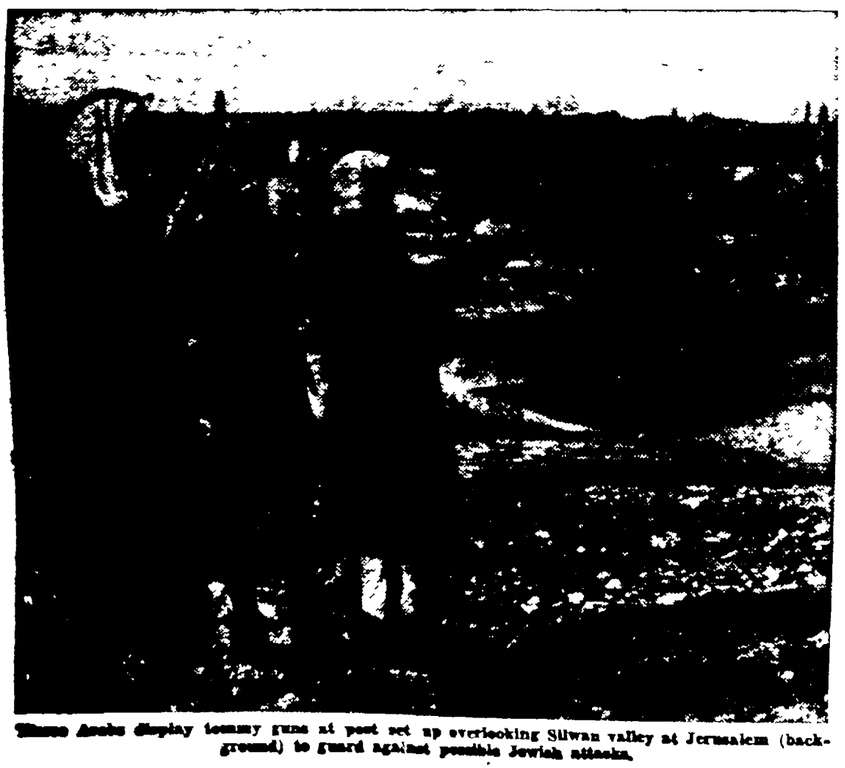
## Late Photos of World Events

Two young deer show interest in ranger Joseph Ossman's bundle of hay at Bear Mountain State Park, N. Y. Rangers are hauling alfalfa and soybean cake into woods to relieve deers' famine during severe winter weather.

A thick coat of ice covers the front of one of six buildings swept by a $400,000 fire in the Utica, N. Y., business section. Sixteen firemen were injured and frost-bitten in temperatures ranging as low as 29 degrees below zero.

Baldesta Fritz, 14-month-old daschund trained as a retriever, returns live duck at Chicago sports show. Its master is Orin Benson, Eagle, Wis.



Three Arabs display tommy guns at post set up overlooking Silwan valley at Jerusalem (background) to guard against possible Jewish attacks.

Four-year-old twins Jorn (left) and Henning Petersen, from Kolding, Denmark, stand in life preserver aboard liner Batory on arrival at New York. They are en route with their parents to Australia.

Jimmie Ormsby gives Rin Tin Tin III a manicure at Denver where dog made a stock show appearance.

The 52,000-ton battleship New Jersey, one of world's heaviest armed ships, passes under Brooklyn Bridge en route to Gravesend Bay to unload her ammunition prior to being stripped and berthed at Bayonne, N. J., on a deactivated basis.

Bundled against the cold, Greta Stein (front), 8, and her sister Thekla, 9, arrive in New York aboard the ice-coated Nieuw Amsterdam. The little girls are returning home to Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y., from their school in Switzerland.

Pandora, the Philadelphia zoo's baby chimp, gives the weather man the Bronx cheer from inside the super-heated monkey house. As usual, the weather man has the last word.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Deaths 1

BOENS—In Knauertown, on Monday, Feb 2, 1948, J Penrose Boens, husband of Ruth (Farringer) Boens, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Coventryville Methodist church on Saturday at 2 p m. Interment Coventryville Methodist cemetery. Friends will be received at the White Memorial Home, Parkerford, Friday evening 7 to 9. (White)

LAUME—On Wednesday, Feb 4, 1948, Anna, wife of John Laume, of Schwenksville RD, aged 46 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services on Monday at 1 p m, at Charles J Franks' Funeral Home, Trappe. Interment Ferncroft cemetery, Philadelphia. Friends may call Sunday evening 7 to 9. (Franks)

REYNOLDS—On Sunday, Feb 1, 1948, Harry S, husband of Nellie M (nee Swartz) Reynolds, aged 88 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Houck's Funeral Home, 112 N Washington St, Pottstown, Pa, on Thursday, Feb 5, at 2:30 p m. Interment in Highland Memorial Park. Friends may call Wednesday evening 7 to 8:30. (Houck)

### Card of Thanks 2

JOHNSON

The family of the late Benjamin G Johnson desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

### In Memoriam 3

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LANCASTER LIVESTOCK

LANCASTER, Feb 4 (AP)—Cattle 268, cows steadier and feeder steers to 25 cents lower. Calves 109, high, receipts and steady. Hogs 148, bulk of sales 180 to 230 pounds at $28. Sheep 11. Lambs are scarce and steady

HATFIELD LIVESTOCK

Increasing activity at stronger prices in nearly all classes was reported for the Hatfield livestock market. Price ranges per hundred weight for the week ahead of stock sold were: cows $17 to $22.50, calves, $15 to $29, bulls $20.75 to $25.60, heifers $19.50 to $24.25, steer, $19 to $29, hogs $14 to $29 and sheep and lambs, $9 to $22.50

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| Fancy large | 61 | 54 | 58 |
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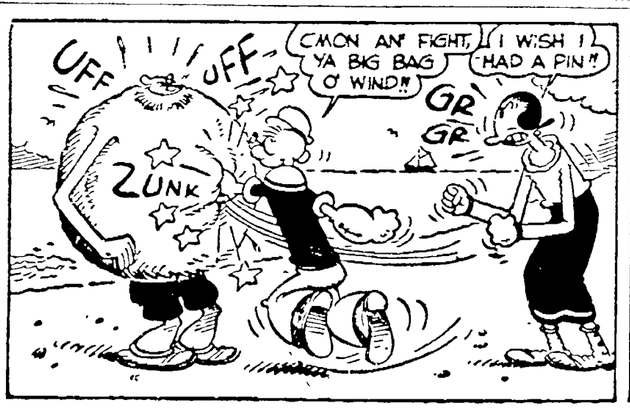


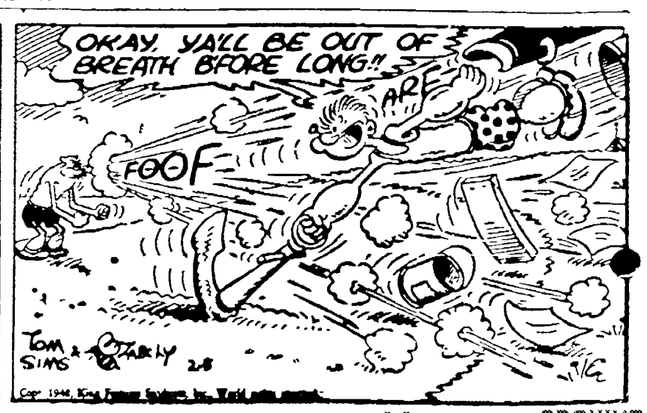


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**Unfurnished Apartments 68**

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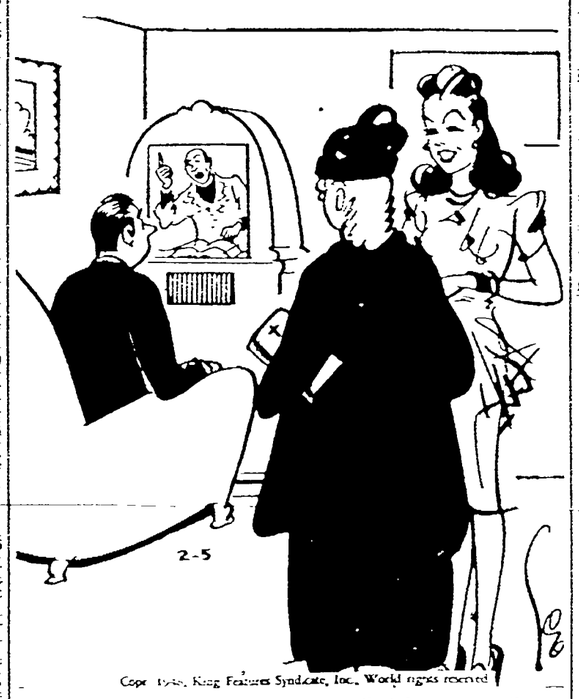


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WANTED—One acre building site near Spring City-Royersford or reasonably priced home. Convenient to transportation. State price, location. Mercury Box C-34

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## AUCTIONS—LEGALS

**Auction Sales 90**

Complete Sale Service
CLAY C. HESS, Auctioneer
Royersford. Phone Collegeville 2196

PUBLIC SALE
Of Livestock, Machinery, Feed, Tools, Household Goods, etc., Wednesday, Feb. 24, 1948, on the premises formerly known as William H. Bishop Farm, located ½ mile East of the Pottstown-West Chester Highway, 3 miles South of Pottstown, Chester County, Pa. Watch this paper for full particulars.
Conditions by
HARVEY T. BUCKWALTER
R. T. Richards,
J. K. Geyer, Aucts.

PUBLIC SALE
On Saturday, Feb. 7, at 12:30 sharp, at 413 Walnut St., Royersford
Electric refrigerator, elec. sweeper, Bengal gas range, elec. toaster, electric heaters, davenport and chair, chrome breakfast set, new, 2 chests drawers, bureau, vanity table, large wardrobe, bed and innerspring mattress, cedar chest, wardrobe, single bed, innerspring mattress, Milton player piano, very good condition, 3 radios, Victrola, Singer sewing machine, studio couch, 3 9x12 rugs, throw rugs, desk, oil stove, dishes, cooking utensils, quilts, comforts, pillows, floor and table lamps, small tables and stands, rocking chairs, breakfast table, card table, 4 folding chairs, trunk, ironing boards, lace curtains, beach chairs, lawn mower, garden tools, rubber hose, chest of tools, storm sash and screens, and numerous other articles.
Conditions by
Mrs. WILLIAM KEFFER
Clay C. Hess, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE
Of Valuable Household Furnishings and Painter's Equipment and Supplies. Saturday, February 7, 1948 at 116 Rowland St., Pottstown. Sale 1 p. m.
Following items are clean and in the best of condition. 3-pc. living room suite, upholstered chair, 10-pc dining room suite, Sparton console radio, desk and chair, 3 modern bedroom suites with Simmons Beautyrest mattresses and springs, drophead sewing machine, 5-pc. breakfast set, 3 kitchen utility cabinets, 9x12 rugs including one Birds of Paradise, drop leaf table, Maytag washer, glider, lawn and folding chairs, mirrors, full set of china, gold hand-painted set of china—both service for 8, all kinds of pyrexware, ovenware, lot of nice glassware and china, Guardian service aluminumware, other heavy aluminumware, elec. clock, hassocks, stands, end tables, table and floor lamps, linens of all kinds, bicycle, and a fine lot of painter's ladders, tools and supplies. Don't miss this sale. You'll be pleased with the furnishings to be sold.
Conditions by
ABE YERGER
Victor B. Rhoads, Auct.

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IRVIN H. KULP, Owner,
Phoenixville, RD 1, Pa.
Phone Phoenixville 6661.
Farm is located on Route 23, 3 miles west of Phoenixville and 1 mile west of the intersection of Routes 23 and 83.
Thursday, Feb. 19
FEED and EQUIPMENT SALE at 10 a. m.
CATTLE SALE at 12:30 p. m.
Cattle consist of 50 Pure Bred Guernseys and 5 Grades 2 Bulls, 28 Cows, 11 Bred Heifers and 14 open Heifers. There will be at least 20 fresh or close springers by sale date. Blood from Liseter, Ridgewood and Antietam herds most popular today. A nice bunch of useful cattle, heavy producers, 2 exceptionally good, pure bred bulls. Everything Bangs and T. B. accredited.
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Also 1—4 section spring tooth harrow; 1—18 ft. Spike Harrow, 1 McCormick-Deering 2 row Corn Planter tractor hitch, 1 New Idea Side Delivery Rake, 1 McCormick-Deering Rope Hay Loader; 1 Hay Hook with ropes, 1 Jamesway grapple Hay Fork; 2 Jamesway Feed Trucks; 1 Rubber Tire Wheelbarrow, ½ ton Chevrolet Panel Truck, 2 motors, 1 h.p. and ½ h.p.
50 Tons Baled Hay; 10 tons Baled Straw; 10 tons of Baled Soy Bean Hay; 2000 bu. Corn; 100 bu. Barley and 200 bu. Wheat.
1 Bull Staff, new; 1 Stewart Electric Clippers, 1 Myers Shallow-Well Pump and Motor; 1 Brine Refrigerator with 2 Motors and Compressor, 1 milk Cooler and Tank; 1 Bottler, A-1 Bottle Washer, 1 DeLaval Separator with Motor; 1 large Churn; 1 Steam Boiler; milk buckets and strainers; 2 DeLaval Milker Units 1 Bucket-a-Day Store with 50 gal. tank; 1 Hotpoint Electric Range; 2—100' Rolls of 4' Lawn Fence; 2 Army Saddles; 1 Pony Saddle; wrenches, shovels, bars, small lot of new lumber, oil drums and tomato baskets.
1 Sow, 10 Shoats. White Muscovy Ducks and Chickens.
Lunch will be on sale by The Women's Guild of St. Vincent Evangelical and Reformed Church. Sale managed by
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PUBLIC SALE
OF LIVESTOCK, HAY MACHINERY, TOOLS, etc.
On Wednesday afternoon, February 11, 1948 on the premises formerly known as the Frank Swartley farm located along the road leading from Route 422 at Limerick to Schwenksville, ½ mile from Limerick, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania consisting of
Livestock: 10 good Dairy Cows consisting of a mixed herd of cows in various conditions. Any one of these cows will be a good addition to any herd. 1 Stock Bull.
Hay: 12 tons of baled hay.
Machinery: Mc-D Tractor, Cultivator and mower attachments, Mc-D Tractor Plow, Mc-D manure Spreader, Mc-D 12 Disc Grain Drill, Mc-D Combine, Mc-D Mulcher, Disc Harrow, Hammer Mill, Std. Delivery Rake, Papec Cutter and Blower, Mc-D Corn Planter, 2 rubber tire wagons, corn binder, tight bottom hay loader, lime spreader, spike harrow, corn sheller, milking machine, tractor belt, hay fork and pulleys, shovels, forks, milk cans and buckets, tools of all kinds, many other articles too numerous to mention.
Special Mention: Ann Arbor Automatic Pick-up Baler like new.
Sale at 12:30 p. m.
Conditions cash by
GEORGE M. FRITZ
R. T. Richards,
J. K. Geyer, Aucts.

**Legal Notices 91**

NOTICE
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Borough Manager, City Hall, Penn and King Sts., until 5 p. m., February 9, 1948, for one Police Car. Bids will be opened at 7 p. m., February 9, 1948, at the City Hall.
The car to be standard model 4-door sedan, equipped with spare tire and wheel, tools, shatter proof glass and all steel body. The bidder will submit with his proposal, complete specifications of the car he proposes to furnish and approximate date of delivery.
The bidder will accept as part payment, one—4 door, 1946 model, Ford sedan.
Payment for above will be within 30 days from date of delivery.
The Borough reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
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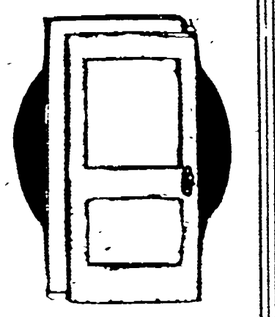

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## District Official Approves Borough Recreation Plans

Plans and programs of the Pottstown Recreation commission for the coming year yesterday received the approval of J. W. Faust, district representative of the National Recreation association.

Faust, who makes regular semi-annual visits to Pottstown, spent four hours going over the plans with Francis Donnon, Pottstown recreation director.

According to Donnon, the district representative said the present plan of increasing the recreation program step by step met with his complete approval. He pointed out that the commission's program would grow steadily and more successfully by developing within the limits of an increasing budget rather than by jumping feet first into a spectacular and expensive series of events.

Faust, in reviewing the work already done by the Pottstown group, commented favorably on the report of the past year's work. He said it showed a well-balanced program for the amount of money with which the committee had to work.

## Traveling Registrars Given Pay Increase

*By Staff Correspondent*

NORRISTOWN, Feb. 4 (AP)—The 12 traveling registrars of the Montgomery County Registration commission, now enrolling voters for the April Primary election, received a wage increase this afternoon when the salary board voted to increase their pay from $12 to $14 a day, according to an announcement by Commissioner Foster C. Hillegass, head of the Registration commission.

## Wreckage of Plane Found Near Reading

READING, Feb. 4 (AP)—Wreckage of a training plane from which an Army reserve pilot parachuted was found today in a field one and a half miles from Reading airport by Bruce Williams, who lives near the scene.

Pilot Norman Buzby, 23, escaped with several fractured ribs when he jumped last night after the plane's motor caught fire.

**MAN CRUSHED BY ROCK**

CLEARFIELD, Feb. 4 (AP)—Clearfield County Coroner R. L. Williams today reported the accidental death of George Tyner, 61, of Clarence in Centre county, who was crushed by a rock fall at the Woodling and Baumgardner No. 2 mine near Karthaus.

**PHYSICIAN DIES**

PERKASIE, Feb 4 (AP)—The oldest physician in Perkasie Dr. Neri B Williams, died today at the age of 84.


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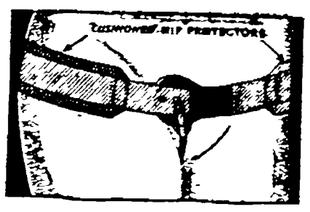

The Rice Rupture Service Experts, personal representatives of William S. Rice, Inc., Adams, N. Y., will be at the **Shuler House, Pottstown, Pa., Sat., Feb. 7.**

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**Don't miss this great opportunity to see these Experts.**


## Rotary Club to Hear Report of Committees

Chairmen of the various committees of the Rotary club will report on the work done by their groups during the past six months at a special club assembly to be held in the Elks home at 6 30 o'clock tonight.

At the meeting, which will be held under the direction of President Karl Schumacher, plans for the next six months also will be discussed.

**INDICTED FOR ROBBERY**

JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 4 (AP)—Eighteen-year-old Herbert D Hendrickson who gave his address as Hotel Plittenoen, Coudersport, Pa, was indicted today on armed robbery in connection with a $41 grocery holdup He said his parents are divorced and live in New York.

## Three Autoists Due To Receive Summonses

Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus, of the Seventh ward, will send summonses to three alleged traffic violators

Lloyd Sassaman, 160 North Manatawny street, and William Will, 806 North Charlotte street, are charged by Motor Patrolman Thomas A. Lawler and Patrolman Robert H. Houser with racing at 50 miles an hour on High street They were arrested at 12 05 o'clock yesterday morning as they were traveling west on High street between Madison and Adams streets

W. F. Powell, Flemington, Clinton county, is charged by Motor Patrolman Stanley Borowy with passing a red light at High and Evans street traveling at a high rate of speed in a dangerous manner, cutting in and out of traffic and passing cars in both lanes of traffic. He was traveling east on High street and was arrested near Sunnybrook at 10 05 o'clock Tuesday morning Powell told Borowy he had had only one glass of beer

Leonarco da Vinci drew plans for flame throwers, grenades, tanks and a flying machine.

**FOUR INJURED IN FIRE**

PITTSBURGH, Feb 4 (AP)—Four persons, including a fireman overcome by smoke, were injured today as fire swept an apartment building.

**NEGRO ARTIST DIES**

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 4 (AP)—Mrs. Laura Wheeling Waring, widely-known Negro artist and head of the art department of Cheyney State Teachers college, died yesterday.


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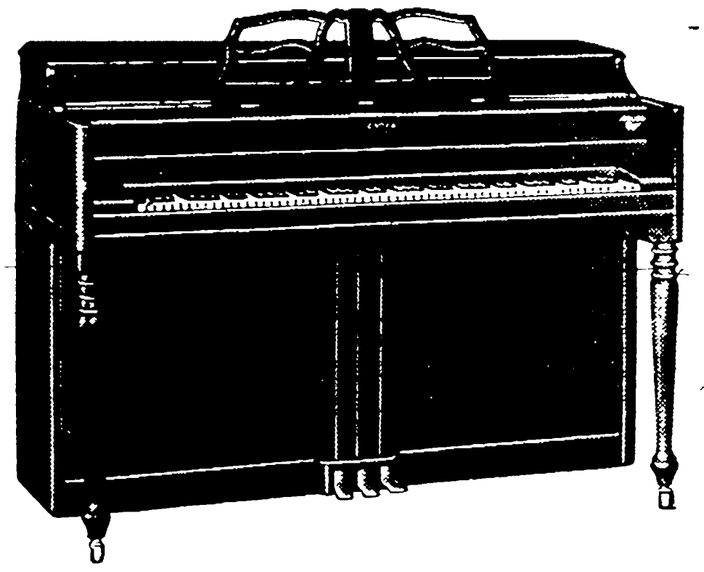

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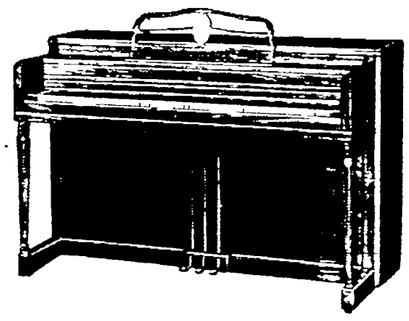

A favorite in mahogany or walnut, this 37-inch Betsy Ross Spinet will lend distinction to any room.

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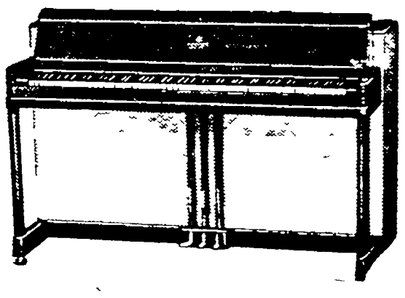

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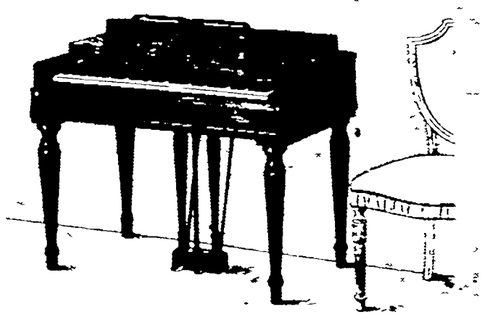

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